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LOCAL BOARD BUSY REVISING DRAFT MEN

Large Numbers From Classes Two, Three And Four To One.

Acting upon orders from the Provost Marshall General's office the local exemption board began, Monday, a reclassification of more than fourteen hundred men now on the draft list.

According to the Provost Marshall too many men were placed in deferred classes in Ohio county, and the board is directed to revise the entire list, under rules prescribed by the Marshall's office. At the rate the board is proceeding now, between 300 and 400 men will be changed from classes two, three and four to class one. Changes made by the board up to Wednesday night are:

James Austin, Rockport.
Steven Z. Arnold, Olaton.
Arthur Allen, Renfrow.
Joseph Albin, Balzetown.
Heber G. Austin, Beaver Dam.
Clyde C. Durham, Centertown.
Tom Ashby, Fordsville.
Rollie G. Ashby, Centertown.
Frank Atherton, Centertown.
Hubert F. Ashby, Centertown.
Elsie M. Aull, Fordsville.
J. J. Blankenship, Beaver Dam.
Wm. E. Blanford, Simmons.
John L. Basham, Hartford.
Alva Bean, Centertown.
Roscoe H. Baird, Hartford.
John A. Bennett, Louisville.
Willie Burden, Fordsville.
Ericl Blankenship, Beaver Dam.
John W. Blanchford, Centertown.
Jesse L. Burgess, Prentiss.
Oscar M. Barch, Cromwell.
Marvin C. Baird, Booneville, Ind.
Ray Baugh, Beaver Dam.
Chas. R. Bell, Washington.
John Bennett, Simmons.
Coffee John Burgess, Cromwell.
Ben F. Burden, McHenry.
Clarence Bartlett, Hartford.
Arthur Bales, Hartford.
Shelby D. Boskett, Centertown.
Felix E. Brown, Hartford.
Edward Baize, Simmons.
Gerry H. Barnes, Rockport.
Jesse Bartlett, Hartford.
Clinton Boyd, Centertown.
Godfrey Bennett, Hartford.
Joe W. Barrett, Narrows.
Herbert G. Bell, Livia.
Chas. M. Baxley, Sunnydale.
Joseph R. Baize, Renfrow.
Alonso F. Bellamy, Fordsville.
Geo. C. Coppage, Dundee.
W. S. Coppage, Dundee.
Arthur W. Card, Anoka, Minn.
Lawrence Coy, Balzetown.
Nacy Crowe, Narrows.
Lloyd Clark, Select.
Rollie Conder, Hartford.
Henry D. Chapman, Centertown.
Othel Chapman, Hartford.
Jesse Kissinger, Deenfield.
Edward Craig, White Run.
Stonewall Cook, White Run.
Alva Chapman, Hartford.
Clarence Evans, Fordsville.
William R. Edge, Whitesville.
Andy Elder, Hartford.
Tilford V. Chapman, Hartford.
Earl P. Chick, Beaver Dam.
Clay O. Cooper, Hartford.
Martin Canary, Hartford.
Vinson Crowe, Hartford.
David H. Cooper, Hartford.
Willie Corley, Fordsville.
Gordon Chinn, Beaver Dam.
Marion Ford, Hartford.
Wm. C. Fought, McHenry.
Edward Free, Fordsville.
Eunice Farmer, Narrows.
Walter Foster, Hartford.
Estil Fulkerson, Rockport.
Steven L. Fraley, Vanceburg.
G. E. Fugua, Dundee.
Norval Fought, Cromwell.
Byron L. Foster, Hartford.
Wilbur Fought, Central City.
Martin Farmer, Fordsville.
Ira D. Funk, Hartford.
David E. French, Prentiss.
Ceel Fulkerson, Ceralvo.
Luther Fought, Equality.
Ray Fought, Smallhous.
Lennie J. Brown, Centertown.
Jacob H. Brown, Rockport.
Claude S. Brown, Rochester.
Horley L. Barnes, Rockport.
Sam J. Brown, Whitesville.
John J. Bozarth, Leitchfield.
James G. Bell, Livia.
Ben H. Bennett, Hartford.
Herman Barr, Hartford.
Lorenzo Acton, Hartford.
Oscar W. Allen, Beaver Dam.

Clark Ashby, Centertown.
Delmer C. Adams, Beaver Dam.
Newt J. Allen, Renfrow.
Isaac S. Ashby, Centertown.
Joe R. Dodson, Centertown.
Charlie C. Day, Narrows.
Wavy S. Daugherty, Simmons.
Willie P. Davison, Narrows.
Claude B. Davis, Horse Branch.
Clyde C. Durham, Centertown.
Espey Daniel, McHenry.
Frank Everly, Centertown.
Charlie Daniel, Fordsville.
Otha Dodson, Livia.
Ray Dunn, Cromwell.
Alex C. Davis, Beaver Dam.
Antony Daniel, Hartford.
Grannon Daugherty, McHenry.
Otis Duff, Narrows.

BIG ROAD WORKING.

Notwithstanding the very busy season of the year there was a big turn out to work the roads Friday, and much effective work was accomplished. Especially that part of the road between Hartford and Pleasant Ridge was materially improved, and it is now possible to drive over it with speed and comfort. The pike between Hartford and Beaver Dam came in for its share of improvement. A quantity of crushed stone was hauled out from Beaver Dam and the holes and ruts were filled up. A tractor was used on this section of road to pull a grader, and the good result is apparent to travel over this section of road. Everywhere, from Green River church to Pleasant Ridge, the mud holes and bridges were put in a good state of repair, and the effect of this days work will show for months to come. A little later, when farm work is in better condition, another road working day will be called, and the road from Green river, through Centertown, Hartford, Dundee, Fordsville and on to the Hancock line, will be worked. At these roadworkings the Fiscal court will furnish the necessary stone, lumber and other material for use by the army of volunteer road workers. Those interested in good roads should begin now to interest the public in the great road working day ahead.

SOCIAL COURTESY.

If we quarreled with all the people who abuse us behind our backs, and began to tear our eyes out as soon as we set ours on them, what a life it would be, and when should we have any quiet? Abuse me, and I will abuse you; but let us be friends when we meet. * * * My back is at my neighbor's service; as soon as that is turned let him make what faces he thinks proper; but when we meet we grin and shake hands like well-bred folk, to whom clear linen is not more necessary than a clean, sweet-looking countenance, and a nicely got-up smile, for company — Thackeray.

PUT IN GUARD HOUSE.

When sheriff Bratcher delivered the deserters, Ode Wilson and Earl Ford, to the Provost Marshal's office, at Camp Taylor, last week, they were each closely questioned about their reasons for desertion and a record made of their answers after which they were sent to the guard house. The officer in charge told us the lowest penalty for desertion in time of war was ten years at hard labor in a federal penitentiary. However, civilians familiar with the handling of such matters at the Camp said that for youths of their ages choice was sometimes given between the penitentiary sentence and immediate embarkment for France. We do not know if this latter information is reliable.

GIRL WITH \$10,000.

Miss Vina Hoops, nineteen years old daughter, of Mr. Thomas Hoops, of Cool Springs, came to Hartford Monday, and on her motion Hallie Elliott was qualified as her guardian to handle her estate of \$10,000 she will receive as the beneficiary of an insurance policy made in her favor by her brother, a soldier in the national army, who recently died at Camp Hattiesburg, Miss. The Hoops family are poor but excellent people, and \$10,000 will appear quite a sum of money to the young lady. Miss Hoops is a modest little girl, rather pretty, and we hope she may derive the best possible benefit from the small fortune that will come into her hands. She will receive from the government \$57.50 each month until she has drawn the total sum.

THE WAR WEEK IN EUROPE.

The war week in Europe was productive of two world-interest events, the great Italian drive of the Austrian army from the western bank of the Piave, in which the Austrian losses are estimated at more than two hundred thousand men in killed wounded and prisoners, and the speech of the German Foreign Secretary in the Reichstag, in which the admission was made that Germany could not win the war by the force of arms, and said that peace must come by negotiation. The overwhelming defeat of the Austrian army may fairly be expected to destroy the little spirit remaining in the Austrian empire, and it is doubtful if ever again an Austrian army will make a serious attempt to force its way into Italy. Austria is war-weary and starving, and it is doubtful if the day of internal revolution can be much longer stayed off by its military rulers.

Secretary von Kuehlmann's speech produced a profound sensation in Germany, and it is reported that he has tendered his resignation. Von Kuehlmann's speech is regarded as a diplomatic breaking of the news, to the German nation to prepare for a humiliating peace. Though not actually starving, as are the people of Austria, the German people are hungry, and the German national spirit is breaking under the strain of the deferred hour of victory. Western front inactive.

HELP WANTED.

Our Idea of a local newspaper is, the largest possible volume of local news. We take it, that people buy a county paper chiefly for its weekly history of county events. We are anxious to chronicle such events, but to do so we must first get them from the people who know them. We are doing all our limited energy and industry can do to make a newspaper according to our ideal, and we want to ask every citizen who has knowledge of any event that is in anyway out of the ordinary course of happenings to report it to us. The news field is practically inexhaustible. There are enough actual news happenings in Ohio county every day in the week to make a daily paper, if they were reported, and we want to enlist the co-operation of every citizen in the county in the matter of reporting the news from his or her community. Too many people have a notion that "Mr. and Mrs. Smith, of 'Somewhere' is visiting the family of Mr. Brown," is about all the news worth reporting. The coming and going of people, especially of well-known people, is real news, but there are other events occurring in every neighborhood almost every day that are really news. Births, deaths, marriages, fires, accidents, farm sales, business deals of magnitude, new buildings erected, storm damage, crop conditions, and a multitude of other events that attract local attention are real news. Perhaps the simplest rule for determining news is, if the neighbors are telling it with interest to one another report it to the newspaper. This office has both telephones, and we will gratefully appreciate the favor if people who know anything that comes under the rules mentioned will call us up and report it.

VERY LITTLE POLITICS.

There is very little boiling in the political pot in Kentucky just now, but what little there is centered in the senatorial race. Senator James will have opposition for the nomination of his party, in the person of ex-Congressman Kimball, of Lexington, but there is some anxiety felt about the Senator's physical condition. He has been in a Baltimore hospital for several weeks, and despite roseate reports of his improvement he remains in the hospital.

For the first time in the history of Republican politics in Kentucky there is a contest for the nomination for United States senator. This condition comes about because of a hopeful feeling of electing a Republican to the Senate this year. Dr. Ben L. Bruner, of Louisville, and Judge B. J. Bethurum, of Somerset, are the contestants. Dr. Bruner goes into the race handicapped with the opposition of his home county, Jefferson, and if mountain counties stand by Judge Bethurum, as it is claimed they will, the contest will be an unequal one.

CRAZY MAN SUICIDES.

Tom Kannady, of Coolsprings, who was adjudged a lunatic about a month ago, and sent to the asylum at Hopkinsville, committed suicide at that institution Saturday, by hanging himself. His body was brought home, Monday, for burial. Kannady's condition was believed at the time he was sent to the asylum to be very serious, and his friends did not expect him to return home alive.

OIL TRACE FOUND.

A trace of oil was struck on the Wallace farm, near Dundee, early Wednesday morning, at a depth of about three hundred feet. Work on the Wallace well was started several weeks ago, but little progress was made until Harold Holbrook bought the drilling outfit, fired a bunch of employees, and started drilling in earnest.

The Blue Lick water which was struck at about six hundred feet in the Hartford oil field was found at a depth of two hundred and seventy-five feet in the Wallace well. This would indicate that the oil sand would be reached at a depth of three hundred feet less in the Wallace well than in the Hartford field. This water is substantially the sulphur water at Sulphur Springs. The depth at which the Blue Lick water has been found indicates an ascent of strata in that direction, more indicative of oil than the Hartford field.

The people drilling at Olaton have had much trouble with their machinery, and are making slow progress.

AN EYE TO BUSINESS.

According to the story of Ernest Mayfield, who was recently arrested by the sheriff of Daviess county on a warrant from the Ohio county court charging him with shooting Dennis Hoagland, the Daviess county sheriff has an eye to business. Mayfield alleges that after his arrest the sheriff informed him that he would have to pay the expenses of the trip to Hartford, and claims he did pay the sheriff \$5.00. This is the first instance of which we have heard where a man arrested for crime was required to pay his own expenses to court for trial.

ASSESSOR'S DEPUTIES.

The assessor, or rather the county tax commissioner, as the new law has it, has appointed his deputies for the work of assessing, which will begin this year July 1. The deputies with their territorial assignments are:

L. B. Loney, of McHenry, Centertown and Rockport magisterial districts.

C. C. Carter, of Narrows, Narrows, Sulphur Springs and Shreve precincts.

T. D. Owen, of Heflin, Heflin precinct. Mr. Owen will probably accept some other territory, later.

E. B. Finley, of Balzetown, Arnold, Select, Horse Branch, Olaton, Rosine, Cromwell and Prentiss precincts.

Floyd Keown, of Fordsville, territory not yet determined.

Will Brown, of Hartford, territory not yet assigned.

Tax commissioner's deputies are all experienced in the work of assessing, are capable men, and will perhaps make the best assessment ever made in the county.

RED CROSS ENTERTAINMENT.

The Hawaiian Octette, a band of native Hawaiian musicians touring the country in the interest of the Red Cross, gave an entertainment at McHenry Tuesday night, and a tidy sum was raised for the Red Cross treasury. Hartford people attending the entertainment speak in the highest terms of the artists of the little western island. Hartford people who attended were: Mr. and Mrs. Lee Simmerman and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Murphree, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Riley, Misses Mattie Duke, Clara Robertson, Winnie Davis Simmerman, Beulah Palmer, and Messrs. A. D.

Kirk, Estill Park, Gooddell Wooten and John Ad. Howard.

NOCREEK WEDDINGS.

Rev. Harper, pastor of Nocreek church, went home with Joe Thomason for dinner Sunday, and just after the noon meal Dorris Martin and Miss Adelia Stewart drove up in an auto and called upon Brother Harper to perform the nuptial service. The young couple joined right hands and made the customary vows without alighting from the machine, and after receiving the preacher's blessings, went on their way rejoicing. A few minutes later Herman Richardson and Miss Myrtle Hudson drove up in a buggy and hellowed the Rev. Harper for a marriage service. They were married while sitting in the buggy, and were dismissed with the ministerial blessing. Thomason says what is worrying him is that Brother Harper will now be at his house for dinner every fourth Sunday.

ASSOCIATION DISBANDED.

With the Grand Master, Simon Smith, and Supreme Locker-Keeper, Gene McCulloch, called to military service, the Kentucky Frog Hunters Association has temporarily disbanded. Grand Master Smith confided the signs and pass words to the writer before boarding the train for Camp Taylor, Wednesday morning, with instructions to keep the gig, the great seal of the association, burnished and sharp. This organization is famous on the waters of Rough river from the mouth of Caney Creek to the confluence of the waters of Rough River with those of Adams Fork. For many years these famous frog hunters have broken the midnight stillness of these parts with the slow, stealthy stroke of the dingy boat oar, and pierced the inky darkness with the light of the carbide lamp.

The coming of the members of the Association was the annual event for the sport-loving citizens of the territory visited, and many was the citizen who toasted his feet at its congenial evening camp fires. Simon and Gene are princes of good fellowship and many will be the prayers to go up from the citizens of the frog lands for their safe return from the war fields of France.

THIEF ROBS STORE.

A thief put one over on the high cost of living, here Monday night. He entered the store of the American Co-operative Association sometime during the night and helped himself to provisions. Among the articles missing were about fifty pounds of sugar, four sacks of flour and a dozen bars of soap. Perhaps other articles were stolen but those mentioned were the only ones the manager could feel certain were missing. The thief entered the building by a window, the lock on which had been broken for several days.

PETIT JURY EXCUSED.

Judge Slack has asked sheriff Bratcher to notify the petit jurors summoned for the July term of circuit court not to appear for service. On account of the busy season with the farmers the Judge thought it better to let litigants wait upon the adjudication of their differences than to take the farmers out of their crops to perform jury service, and will have no jury trials at the term of court beginning Monday. The grand jury will appear for service as usual, but will be held for a brief session.

LAKE DIVISION RED CROSS ORGANIZATION

There are 2,680 Red Cross organizations in Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky. The summary of the organizations by States is as follows: Ohio, 108 chapters, branches 523, auxiliaries 721; Indiana, 105 chapters, branches 341, auxiliaries 384; Kentucky, 144 chapters, branches 188, auxiliaries 166.

GOT MOVE ON ORDER.

The gang of tramp evangelist that recently infested Hartford, went on to Fordsville, where in their first service they attacked a well known Ohio county citizen for no good reason, and were given the move on order, which they promptly heeded. Ignorance and fanaticism commit many traversities in the name of religion.

AUSTRIA SWAMPED BY ITALIAN ARMY

Losses Total 200,000 In Battle On The River Piave.

Washington, June 25.—A dispatch to the Italian embassy from Rome today confirmed the announcement yesterday that prisoners taken by the Italians in the fighting at the Piave numbered 45,000. This includes some 12,000 or 15,000 captured during the past week before the Austrian offensive was turned into a rout.

Paris, June 25.—Austrian losses totaled 200,000 men, according to the Secolo, of Milan. Certain enemy divisions lost two-thirds of their effectives.

A dispatch to the Matin from Turin says that the rout of the Austrians is complete and that the Piave has carried away many Austrian dead. Italian cavalry, it is added, have advanced beyond the eastern bank of the river.

French newspapers continue to acclaim the Italian victory. Hope is expressed that Gen. Diaz, profiting by the demoralization of the enemy, will not confine the fighting to local actions, but will strike out boldly into an offensive and transform the Austrian retreat to the Piave into a decisive victory.

Several newspapers wonder whether the Germans will rush help to the Austrians by transferring forces from the western front. L'Homme Libre believes that such action is scarcely probable, as Emperor William and Von Hindenburg are convinced they cannot obtain a decision, except on the front from Switzerland to the sea.

London, June 25.—The extent to which the Italian pursuit of the Austrians across the Piave has developed is not known here, and no detailed reports have been received bringing events up to date.

A statement current in London yesterday that the Italians had taken 45,000 prisoners is said by the morning newspapers to be confirmed by the Italian embassy. The same statement is attributed to Premier Orlando by the Rome correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph Company.

The same correspondent quotes the Giornale D'Italia as saying that the troops of Archduke Joseph and Gen. Wurm are virtually surrounded and must surrender or be annihilated.

The view in military circles is that the defeat of the Austrians is so crushing that it will be impossible for the enemy to repeat his offensive on a serious scale for several weeks. One of the causes for the Austrian disaster is said to have been faulty judgment in placing their reserves, by which they failed to be brought up at a critical moment to meet the clever strategy of the Italians.

So strongly is the Piave line now held by the Italians, say military critics, that it will be impossible for the disorganized enemy armies to retake it, and there is not the slightest fear that they again will try to cross the river. It is said they staked everything on this offensive and threw all their forces in it. Thirty-seven divisions have been identified as being in the battle.

OFF FOR THE WAR.

Ohio county sent twenty-seven more soldiers to Camp Taylor Wednesday. This makes the total number of Ohio county boys now in Camps or in France about 400. The boys sent Wednesday were the list published in this paper last week, except H. C. Stearsman, of Horse Branch, who is in Pennsylvania, and a Blackburn boy, of Ceralvo, who is in Muhlenburg county, and had not received his notice. Both of these boys will be sent on to the camp within a few days. Delbert Barnard, of Hartford, and Mike Crain, of Horse Branch, voluntarily took the places of the two absent men. The boys going Wednesday were in the best of spirits, and appeared anxious for the trip. They left over the M. H. & E., via Owensboro. As usual there was a big crowd at the depot to tell the boys good bye, and wish them a pleasant journey and a safe return.

FAMOUS FLIERS AT NATION'S CAPITAL

German Air Attack Would Meet Best Airmen In World.

Is a German air raid on Washington possible? says the Washington Times.

It is Super-submarines, capable of carrying several airplanes, have been repeatedly reported built by Germany for just this purpose. A fleet of these great U-boats could release their winged messengers of death just off the Atlantic coast some day or night, and within an hour a whole squadron of hostile airplanes might be soaring over Washington.

But any boche fliers who might take part in such a trip would find, to their surprise, that they had rushed into a veritable hornets nest of defending airplanes.

And every one of these airplanes would be maintained by an aviator who has written his name large on the scroll of fame as a war flier of many victories over the battlefields of France. Every one of the defending fleet which could rise from Potomac Park would be piloted by a birdman who has taken a large toll of foe aviators—who has downed enough planes to win the coveted little "ace."

Best Fliers in the World.

For in Washington to-day there are assembled the best fliers in the world. They are here with the allied aviation missions, teaching young American air cadets how to fly and vanish the boche, aiding America in the upbuilding of its gigantic air program, and incidentally giving exhibitions daily that have thrilled Washington time and again.

In Potomac Park there is a great, gray steel hanger, erected some time ago to house the airplanes that were to give exhibitions there. To-day there are in that hangar almost a dozen planes—French, British, Italian and American. Within a few days there will be added several other planes which have just arrived in this country, including a fighting monoplane which has seen service over the French front and which will be piloted here by Lieut. Constant Soulier, France's nineteen-year-old ace.

A partial list of the war-famous aviators to-day in Washington includes the following names—all of which will be recognized as having been cited repeatedly for exploits of valor over there.

Famous Names in List.

Lieut. Col. Charles F. Lee and Lieut. John A. Sully, of the British Royal Flying Corps; Capt. Silvio Resnati, pilot of the giant Caproni bombing plane, the Italian aviator par excellence; Sergt. Gianfelice Gino, Italian flier, who recently established a new record on a flight to this city from Hampton Roads, Va.; Major George Tulasne, chief of the French aviation mission; Capt. Alfred Heurtaux, France's "ace of aces," since the death of the brave Capt. Guynemer; Lieut. Constant Soulier, the nineteen-year-old ace who has officially downed fifteen Tuton airmen; Lieut. Georges Flaschaire, the de-bonair young Frenchman whose daredevil exhibitions racked the nerves of Washington recently; Lieut. Max Benois, French air hero, who will soon fly over this city; Lieut. Henri Farre, who although he has not and will not fly here, has distinguished himself on bombing exhibitions over there, and who has painted more than 100 marvelous pictures of war in the air, which are on exhibition in Washington now.

The array of war fliers is supplemented by the presence of several civilian aviators of note, including the famous aviator Ruth Law, whose flights in an old model, unenclosed plane proved a great attraction on Liberty Loan Day.

Then too, there are in this city scores of young American fliers who, although their mettle has not yet been tested over the fighting lines in Europe, are as accomplished fliers as some of the men who are making history over there.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

PUBLISHERS ASK DELAY IN POSTAL INCREASE

Washington, June 21.—Newspaper publishers headed by Geo. McAneny of the New York Times, vice president of the American Publishers' Association, urged before the House Ways and Means Committee to-day that the zone system of increased second-class postage rate which goes into effect July 1 be suspended for at least a year.

The committee was told that while

the additional revenue from the increased rates would be considerable, the rates and the system would oppress the newspapers in time of need and oppose a system of collection complicated and expensive. Rates to the outer zones would be prohibitive. Mr. McAneny said, and would mean restriction of circulation. Arrangements for passing the increased cost of postage on to the subscriber, he said, already are under way.

A thorough investigation of the subject before drafting legislation was urged. Mr. McAneny asserted that the Post-office Department had been built into a profit maker largely through the instrumentality of second-class mail.

Chairman Kitchen, questioning the statement that the newspapers of the country could not stand the increase, asked for net income and loss of subscribers by individual large newspapers. Mr. McAneny said he knew nothing of their book figures; that there were 500 newspapers in the Publishers' Association. Representative Longworth, of Ohio, wanted to know about the proportion of newspaper circulation affected by second-class mail rates. The witness said that in the case of his paper it would be about 15 per cent, but he could not say as to newspapers generally.

Cholera Morbus.

This is a very painful and dangerous disease. In almost every neighborhood someone has died from it before medicine could be obtained or a physician summoned. The right way is to have a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house so as to be prepared for it. Mrs. Charles Enyeart, Hunting ton, Ind., writes: "During the summer of 1911 two of my children were taken sick with cholera morbus. I used Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy and it gave them immediate relief."

AIR ROUTE TO EUROPE TO BE ESTABLISHED

Washington, June 21.—The establishment of an air route to Europe from the United States in order to bring the full force of the American effort in the air to bear against Germany, has been decided upon as a definite project by the British air council, a new organization, into which all British air service has been merged. This was disclosed to-day by Major General William Brancker, controller of equipment on the council, who is in Washington to discuss this and other projects relating to air warfare with American officials.

Plans for the initial flight in August, September or October of this year are already well advanced. American co-operation is sought and Gen. Brancker hopes the first machine will carry both British and American fliers. At least three British pilots are regarded as being qualified for the trip and are now here and several types of machines produced in England have an ample fuel capacity for the forty hours' flying it is estimated the trip would take.

RECRUIT PUTS POSER TO ENLISTMENT MAN

Stockton, Cal., June 21.—When is a "first child" not a "first child?" This is the question that has been causing Sergt. R. R. Mergenthal, of the local United States Marine Corps recruiting station, to spend sleepless nights lately.

George Hadley, of Kansas City, applied to Mergenthal for enlistment. When Hadley informed him that he was married and had two children, Mergenthal told him that he would draw \$32.50 for a family allotment, namely \$15 for his wife, \$10 for his first child and \$7.50 for his second child. But Hadley insisted on \$35.

"How do you figure that?" queried Mergenthal.

"Well, my youngest are twins, so how are you going to figure the first child? They both come under the \$10 head," answered Hadley.

"I gave up," declared Mergenthal after puzzling over it for a few hours. The delicate question has been put up to the authorities at Washington.

JES' THINKIN'

A soldier of color had been summoned to receive specific instructions, in the midst of which he seemingly became a bit "indifferent." The officer, in no uncertain tone demanded: "What's the matter with you?" "O, I wuz jes' thinkin' dat if we had some beans, we could have some po'k an' beans—if we had some po'k."

PLAN BIG BEAR HUNT AS BRUINS ARE DAMAGING

Marlington, W. Va., June 22.—Because of light hunting seasons bears have multiplied in great numbers in this section of West Virginia and their nightly depredations are keeping the farmers worried. More than 200 sheep have been killed by the animals within the last few weeks. An organized bear hunt is being planned.

INSTRUCTIONS TO DRAFT BOARDS ARE GIVEN OUT

By Provost Marshal General Crowder On "Work Or Fight" Order.

Washington, June 21.—Instructions to the draft boards were issued to-day by Provost Marshal General Crowder explaining and amplifying "the work or fight" order under which after July 1, all men of draft age, regardless of classification, must engage in employment to be productive or join the army.

"When it has been determined a person in deferred classification is an idler or engaged in non-productive service," said the instructions, "the classification order number of such persons will be withdrawn and he will be immediately inducted into military service."

Several specific rulings were made as to the effect of the order upon certain classes named as non-productive. In the case of sports and amusements the language was repeated with emphasis, without mentioning baseball, the status of which will be decided only when some individual case has been appealed.

Managers, cooks, clerks and others not engaged in the actual serving of food or drink in public places are exempted from application in the section declaring the service of food and drink is non-productive.

Store executives, head of departments, traveling salesmen, registered pharmacists, delivery drivers and men doing heavy work are not included among the clerks and salesmen classed as doing non-productive work.

"Local boards will consider cases of withdrawal of deferred classification with common sense," Gen. Crowder's instructions say, and they name illness, vacation, the impossibility of securing productive employment without change of residence, as reasonable grounds for waiving the general order. Traveling salesmen will be considered as engaged in productive employment, but automobile salesmen in cities will not, it was explained. Public or private chauffeurs are held to be non-producers only when they combine other work with their mechanical duties.

Local boards are asked to assist registrants to obtain new employment through the Federal employment service and are given power to postpone action while effort is being made to place men in occupations held productive.

Has a Good Opinion of Chamberlain's Tablets.

"Chamberlain's Tablets are a wonder. I never sold anything that beat them," writes F. B. Tressey, Richmond, Ky. When troubled with indigestion or constipation give them a trial.

HENRY D. MOORMAN WRITES FROM FRANCE

Through the courtesy of Mr. Frank Russell of Louisville, we reproduce herewith, a letter received by him from Henry D. Moorman, who is now with Uncle Sam's Forces in France: France, May 18, 1918.

My dear Mr. Russell.—Just received first mail and it did me good to assist in its distribution. Hurt, too, to observe expressions of those disappointed. There are many orphans. I note from company records, and some probably have none to write them. Letters from home, I am told by persons who know, mean more than all else. Our entire regiment is in quarantine and we cannot visit our "Best Friend," the Y. M. C. A. This organization and the K. of C. are certainly blessings, both used and enjoyed. They deserve the support given them. I have closely observed the systems employed and the conduct of their representatives from many angles. At every stop, even on the ocean, before we left Arizona and here, they know what we really need and supply it. We have plenty to eat and wear and, now, all else amounts to but "excess baggage." Father Lydon, our Chaplain, is very popular with the men. He sometimes induces attractions booked at Y. M. C. A. to come into our camp. Included in these was a Belgian woman. The half has never been told of German cruelty and indecency to Belgians.

I was deeply impressed with our own activities at home but the warlike spirit and demonstration increases and intensifies as we near the front. Every constructive force is in arrest and destruction is the end in minds of all. Except for the tramp of soldiers, even large cities seem dead but for these activities connected with war work or supplies. A young man is seldom seen, not even a youth, unless in uniform and on sick leave or duty. Women and old men perform what little labor there seems to be done on the farms. A

great many foreigners are seen among those constructing army buildings, etc. One sees all colors and shapes of uniforms. The English alone have representatives from Australia, Canada, New Zealand, Ireland, Wales, Scotland, India, Egypt and Fiji Islands. One American regiment sometimes has eight or ten different religious beliefs. Headquarters Company has men able to converse with most anybody we will ever need to understand. A great number are college men and many others who have seen much of the world from different angles. The German prisoners we have seen are very young looking. This is a beautiful country but it has a deserted and neglected appearance. The people seemed glad to see us but there is a haggard, anxious look that seems to characterize the populace, even the younger ones. We saw "Fords" before we got off the ship and they are still passing on all roads. Many home products in evidence and the pouring in of soldiers and supplies is as if we were overrunning the country.

A Scotch soldier, in writing his wife, said he inclosed some money but doubted if it ever got to her, as it had to go through the hands of the censor. The impression that censorship is so rigid robs the people at home of much news from their boys, I believe. In any event, it is easy to put in something prohibited and the wisdom of strict censorship is apparent.

Upon receipt of mail, was reminded of my promise to you to tell some of my experiences. Not much to tell, yet. I have ridden races, been in railroad wreck, storm on ocean, up in balloon and had other thrills but have indulged in nothing more absorbing than doing lookout duty for submarines, in danger zone, in crows nest, when sea is rough. No trouble to keep your mind on your business.

We had little rough sea. This was fortunate as our ship was very small. Something amusing was always happening. Of course, the deck was slick, as were ladders and steps. If hash would sprout and grow where it landed, there would be a magnificent crop of "slum" from the boat deck to floor of the hold. Waves could nearly wash a whole line of soldiers down at a time as they came up on deck on one end of the boat and went down into the other end to "chow" (meals). Somebody was always discovering a submarine, in one instance the same turning out to be a vessel of our convoy, in heavy fog. The regiment seemed, at times, to be detailed en masse to feed the fish; but, though thereby almost persuaded, I escaped this routine. I hope to be able to tell you all about our trip over, sometime. If I could relate all attending circumstances, you would, as I have, more appreciate the efficiency of our wonderful navy and marine service.

Send me the Louisville Herald occasionally, as I am supposed to get the Courier and other papers from other sources. I have not seen my brother, Roy. He is 1st. Lt. F. A. and is at the front. Neither have I seen Charles H. Moorman or Atilla Cox. Hope to see them soon. You would be surprised to see me return from a ten mile walk as spry as any corpulent gentleman of many fewer years. Have done such a march each day for quite awhile. Believe me, it would do every man of our mutual acquaintance good to follow my footsteps of the past three months. Our people have ceased to appreciate the necessities of life and are only concerned and think about things in the nature of luxuries, etc. This life brings one back to normal vision, to see things from the other fellow's angle; and makes men real comrades when you add to the present what the future holds for us. I am working hard but enjoy it all, and am sincerely glad I took the course I did. Know I am doing my full duty to others, the only real good a man can do, and have made a real sacrifice, and, after all, even if fate holds death in my part, I count it more worth while than to have lived a little longer, then wearing out "chasing dollars," as too many go.

Will write you again sometime. Give my love to your family and believe me, Sincerely yours, CORPL. HENRY D. MOORMAN, Headquarters Company, Tenth Field Artillery, A. E. F., France, via New York.

O. K.—H. B. Mann, 1st. Lt. 10th F. A.

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STOMACH TROUBLE

Mr. Marion Holcomb, of Nancy, Ky., says: "For quite a long while I suffered with stomach trouble. I would have pains and a heavy feeling after my meals, a most disagreeable taste in my mouth. If I ate anything with butter, oil or grease, I would spit it up. I began to have regular sick headache. I had used pills and tablets, but after a course of these, I would be constipated. It just seemed to tear my stomach all up. I found they were no good at all for my trouble. I heard

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LETTER FROM MR. SEHON.

Louisville, Ky., June 17, 1918
Mr. J. H. Thomas, Editor,
Hartford Republican,
Hartford, Kentucky.

My dear Mr. Thomas.—Your kind favor of June 15th with clipping enclosed just received. You do not know how much I appreciate your interest and many favors. It means a great deal to us to know we have a splendid friend in Hartford.

You will no doubt be interested to know that we dedicated our Service Flag of 96 stars and one Red Cross Sunday night, June 9th. The program was a success in every way. Dr. Powell presented the flag to Judge R. W. Bingham, our President and he accepted it in the name of the Society and presented it to Bishop Woodcock who accepted it for the State of Kentucky. I am very proud of the fact that we have 96 many boys fighting for Uncle Sam but I am prouder still to know that we have a sweet young girl who has given her life and heart to her country to serve by helping the sick and wounded soldiers at the front. This young lady is represented on our flag by the Red Cross. I hope you will come to see us again soon and see our flag. I will be glad to send you a copy of the proceedings as soon as the pamphlet is published.

Thanking you again for your many kind favors and assuring you that if at any time we can serve you in any way we will be more than glad to do so, I remain

Your sincere friend,
GEO. SEHON,
Superintendent.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

LONDON PAPERS ARE SCARCE AND HIGHER

London, May 31.—(By mail.)—There are no excited newswires in London. Papers are not "yelled" or pushed as in American cities. Neither

are there any corner newstands. The men and women selling papers "hang out" near hotels, cafes and theaters. Due to the paper shortage, the newspapers being allowed only one-sixth of the pre-war supply, circulations are being curtailed, prices increased and sizes reduced.

The Daily Express, the last of the half-penny (one cent United States money) papers, has advanced its price to a penny; the Times, which is endeavoring to limit its circulation to not more than 120,000, has put its price at three pence. Similarly large morning papers, the Post and Telegraph, are two pence each.

The Star, an evening paper, carries such messages "Pass it on, so others will not have to buy it," and the Pall Mall Gazette says if readers do not wish being disappointed in getting their paper they should place an order with a news agent to hold the paper.

It is difficult to find an evening paper on sale after 6:30 p. m., or a morning paper after 9:00 a. m. Hence the newswires do not have to "push" sales.

GERMAN NAVAL CRITIC ADMITS U-BOAT BEATEN

London, June.—"That German U-boats are unequal to the warfare against them is the virtual admission of Capt. Persius, the naval critic of the Berliner Tageblatt, says a Rotterdam dispatch to the Daily Telegraph. Capt. Persius writes: "Every layman knows that U-boat losses are unavoidable owing to the continually increasing sharpness and effectiveness of the defense measures of the enemy which, perhaps, will further increase as the war progress is."

"It is scarcely to be denied that our enemies are both carrying on the war and living and that it will be possible for them to defend themselves against tonnage needs for a long time at any rate. From the beginning of the U-boat war it was a mistake, often committed among us, to underestimate the resources of our enemies."

LONDON OVERRUN BY FEMALE SPIES

Beauties Clean Valuable Military Information For Huns.

London, June 22.—London is infested with women spies.

In all the hotels, cafes and restaurants they carry on their nefarious work, their chief occupation apparently being to keep their ears open and overhear all the gossip they possibly can about England's war movements.

They are difficult to trap, because London is still the world's most cosmopolitan city, and the West End is crowded with male and female adventurers from every land—including Germany.

The women spies are of all nationalities, but Russians seem to predominate. If they were captured they undoubtedly would declare loudly loyalty to the allies, but there is little doubt that a vast number of them are in the pay of Germany.

The war has shown men to be worse gossipers than women. In the hotels and restaurants, therefore, these women, most of them beautiful, scrape acquaintances with soldiers and civilians, talk with them, draw them out on military subjects, and without question turn over the information they gather to some master spy in England, Holland or some other neutral country for transmission to Berlin.

Huns Know Of Ostend Raid.

The most insignificant appearing bit of intelligence collected in this way may be the final item in a vast patchwork of information that will enable Germany to piece together and verify England's military plans.

It is known that the Huns had advance information of the English naval raid on the submarine basis at Ostend and Zeebrugge, obtained merely through the fact that for days before the raid it was common gossip about the east coast that the navy was preparing for it.

One mystery of a London hotel is at present intriguing Londoners.

A little cluster of Russian women, young, pretty, and with attractive manners, went about the hotel unchaperoned, and soon found plenty of admirers.

Talked to Army Men.

It was noted that they confined their attentions exclusively to soldiers, sailors and airmen. They never spoke to civilians, but no sooner did an officer appear in the lobbies than they managed in one of the thousand and one ways known to women to scrape an acquaintance with him.

They would have a cup of tea and a cigarette with him, talk for a half an hour and then make some excuse and get away.

These Russian women were seen to be constantly in the company of a young Russian civilian staying at the hotel who appeared to be cross-examining them in conversation.

Eventually their suspicious behavior attracted attention, and a watch was set on them. The next day they disappeared.

Another example is cited in the experience of a young aviator officer who had his wits with him.

Spurn Woman Spy.

With another pilot, he was dining at a restaurant known for its foreign clientele. They were talking loudly and somewhat heedlessly.

A woman sitting at the next table—a total stranger to them—leaned over and asked:

"I wonder if you can tell me where the squadron is stationed now? I have a friend there."

The aviator had sense enough to say they did not know, and immediately changed the subject of their conversations to theaters and other harmless topics.

The English are waking up to this situation, and appeals are being made to every one in strong language to cease discussing military affairs in public and talk to no strange women.

Whooping Cough.

In this disease it is important that the cough be kept loose and expectoration easy, which can be done by giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Mrs. P. H. Martin, Peru, Ind., writes, "My two daughters had whooping cough. I gave them Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it worked like a charm."

THE AGE OF SERVICE. VS. SYMBOL OF THE CLUB.

Any keen observer can see that there is a New Spirit in business.

The earliest business of mankind was on a basis of savagery, a fight to get possession of property. Brawn and muscle were essential; the stealthy march, the night raid, the ambush, the club—these were tools

and methods of ancient business.

The change from that Predatory Age to this present Age of Service has been long and gradual, a toll-some ascent, says The Periscope.

But things ARE different to-day. The new SIGN OF SERVICE replaces the old SYMBOL OF THE CLUB.

Perhaps the cynic will point out that elements of the old primitive cut-throat business still survive in our midst.

True. We have not reached the end of the journey. BUT WE ARE ON THE WAY. Even if the Tiger and Vulture survive in our modern business and though they die hard yet they are doomed.

All business must stand the acid test which is being imposed everywhere to-day: DO YOU CONTRIBUTE TO HUMAN WELFARE?

Those who cannot safely undergo this test are destined to failure. The world is not in the mood to tolerate the business agencies which militate against the COMMON WEAL.

To each of us doing business of any kind in this busy world to-day there comes the joy of recognizing that we have a part in the great task of the age.

To no one of us is it given to do it all. Each bears only a part. Enough if we be possessed and dominated by this new spirit of business: THE SPIRIT OF SERVICE.—Team Work.

YANKS HOLD THIRTY-THREE MILES OF FIGHTING FRONT

Washington, June 21.—American soldiers are now holding the fighting line for a distance of thirty-three miles on the western front, according to information given members of the House Military Committee to day at the weekly conference with Secretary Baker and General March, Chief of staff.

This mileage is held by "all American" forces under command of American officers, located at six different places along the fighting line. Other Americans are at the front with British and French units.

Members of the committee were told again that there was no thought of diminishing the movement of troops across the Atlantic because of the operation of U-boats off the American coast.

After the conference Representative Caldwell, of New York, said as far as America is concerned, "the war will begin next September." By that time materials now being manufactured will be ready in great abundance for making the presence of American troops felt by the enemy, and the fighting planned for the United States soldiers will have begun.

Fighting on the Italian front was discussed and military authorities declared it has not reached a stage to be considered serious for the allies.

Members of the committee said a sufficient number of rapid-fire guns now is being manufactured here to supply the needs of American troops and that the output will be increased as needed.

FAST, LIGHT AIRPLANES.

Will Be Produced In The American Factories Soon.

Washington, June 21.—American airplane factories soon will be called upon to produce a fast single-seated fighting plane in addition to the bombing planes now being constructed. Preparations for the production of the smaller and lighter plane, it is stated authoritatively, are under way, although details as to construction and tests of the machine have not been made public.

The new planes will be the first of the type to be constructed in this country for the American government. On account of the constant improvements being made upon the fast machines, upon recommendation of Gen. Pershing, all previous contracts, amounting to approximately \$65,000,000, were placed with firms abroad.

Decision to build the single-seated planes in this country is taken to indicate that army officials believe the day of the two man duels in the air is passing and that the pursuit planes are becoming more and more useful.

Simple Wash Removes Rings Under Eyes

Rockport people will be surprised how quickly pure Lavoptik eye wash relieves blood shot eyes and dark rings. One young man who had eye trouble and very unsightly dark rings was relieved by ONE WASH with Lavoptik. His sister also removed a bad eye strain in three days. A small bottle Lavoptik is guaranteed to benefit EVERY CASE weak strained or inflamed eyes. Aluminum eye cup FREE. Harrel Bros. druggists at Rockport.

HIT HIM AT LAST.

Mable (at ball game as pitcher "beans" the batter): "Oh, goody, goody! The pitcher has hit him at last—does that win the game now?"

RIVETS FLYING AS GUNS SCREAM

Riveting Machines Doing Their Might On Ships Says Schwab.

(Milton Bronner in Louisville Herald.)

Baltimore, Md., June 29.—Says Charles M. Schwab:

"The rat-tat-tat of the German machine guns is being answered not only by our brave boys over there in company with their gallant allies. It is being answered over here in 137 shipyards by the rat-tat-tat of the riveting machines. And the reply is going to be very satisfactory from an American standpoint."

"How satisfactory in figures? I shot at the steel king, who is director general of Uncle Sam's shipbuilding endeavors."

"I never make predictions," Schwab responded to my query. "I like only to let accomplished facts speak for themselves."

"We put 263,000 tons of ships in the water in May. Not launched merely, but actually in commission to do the work Uncle Sam wants them to do. That means more than an average of 10,000 tons for every working day. The ships actually averaged about 6,000 tons."

Won't Make Predictions.

"Does that represent the maximum we will accomplish per month? Again, nothing doing on the prediction stuff. It simply gives a measure of what we hope to do."

"We have already broken some world's records in the time it took to build the Tuckahoe and the South Pole. And I know the men in the shipyards are full of zest for more such records."

"This job is intensely interesting. My part in it is twofold:

"First—To direct and arouse a spirit of enthusiasm among the men which makes for successful accomplishment."

"Second—To see that every ounce of material needed for the shipyards is produced, whether it be steel plates, engines, boilers or what not."

"As to the first: I think the men in the shipyards already have the enthusiasm for the job in hand. There is generous rivalry between the various yards, which makes for large accomplishment. That is what is meant by my slogan, 'Enthusiasm and competition.'"

"As to the second: We are getting the material as we need them, and I hope this will continue!"

No Fraction With Daniels.

"I see it stated Secretary Daniels yield to your insistent demand for the output of one of the big turbine factories," I interjected.

"I am glad you brought that up," Cchwab replied earnestly. "People are always talking as if there were friction between Mr. Daniels and me. There is not a word of truth in it. Mr. Daniels has been fine, just fine. He has been helpful in every possible way. He has been a very good friend for years."

"We never had a difference save over business matters, and then only in a more or less jocose manner."

"But I don't want to talk about myself. I would rather talk about the men in the yards."

"I want the shipyard workers to hold their heads high when they go out with their wives or sweethearts. We won't give them a uniform, but we intend to give each man who has been on the job without intermission for four months a service pin. He will get an extra bar for every two months' additional service. He should be as proud to wear it as the soldier who displays his service badge, and he should have the firm feeling that he has done as much for his country."

"For, by golly, he has!"

REACH COMPROMISE ON PNEUMATIC MAIL TUBES

Washington, June 21.—A compromise in the controversy in Congress over Federal purchase of pneumatic mail tube systems in several of the large cities of the country, proposed in a Senate amendment to the post-office appropriation bill, was reached to-day by Senate and House conferees.

It was agreed to submit the entire matter to the Interstate Commerce Commission with a requirement for a report from the commission next December regarding whether the tubes should be purchased, their lease continued or abandoned as a mail auxiliary service. During the investigation the tubes would be continued in operation until March 4, 1919.

Postmaster General Burleson was reported to-day to oppose the compromise and still demanding abandonment of the tubes. He has written Chairman Moon, of the House Post-office Committee, suggesting

that in lieu of the tubes in greater New York, mail service through subways be instituted.

If the tube compromise is accepted by the Senate and House the deadlock over the \$33,000,000 post-office appropriation bill will be broken, the tube question being the only point remaining in controversy.

WILL CALL FOR TROOPS IN RUSSIA

London.—Germany is about to withdraw the bulk of her troops now in Russia for service on the Western front, according to a statement in Maxim Gorky's newspaper, the Petrograd Novaya Zhest, quoted by the Daily News' correspondent at Stockholm.

The Novaya Zhest claims to give the text of a dispatch sent by General Falkenhayn, former chief of the German general staff, which, it says, was intercepted, in which General Falkenhayn declares that the battles on the Western front are critical and decisive, but that in order to insure definite victory and the end of the war, the concentration of enormous forces will be necessary.

"In view of the fact that our troops on the Russian and Ukraine fronts have attained their objects," the dispatch continues, "and are now resting, the Emperor has instructed the general staff to take measures for the transportation to France of the majority of the German forces in White Russia, Ukrain and Great Russia, leaving there only small detachments necessary to maintain order."

The transportation, according to the quoted message, was to be effected within seven days. Strong measures were to be taken against possible interference by employees of the Russian railway with the troop movement.

U. S. TROOP TRANSPORT ESCAPES FROM U-BOAT.

An Atlantic Port, June 21.—An American troop transport formerly a German liner, which returned this week from a French port, was subjected to a shellfire attack from a German submarine two days out from the port of departure, it became known here to-day. The transport escaped by superior speed, although a running battle lasting more than an hour took place in which more than 100 shots were fired by the two vessels.

The submarine appeared to have one gun that outranged any carried by the transport and from this gun there were counted thirty-five shots, none of which, however, hit the American ship. The submarine did not venture close enough to use a torpedo.

U. S. PROVIDING RIFLES FOR 4,000,000 MEN

Washington, June 20.—In the belief that congress will order an army of at least 4,000,000 by the end of the year, the Ordnance department has prepared new rifle delivery schedules, which will guarantee the arming of the new men as soon as they reach the training camps.

In addition, provision will be made for the arming of at least 1,000,000 members of home guard units. Already about 10,000 rifles of the Ross type, formerly used by the Canadians, and an equal number from the 500,000 rifles manufactured for the Russian government and owned now by the United States have been allotted the New York state troops.

EASTLAND VICTIMS' HEIRS SUING FOR \$3,500,000

Springfield, Ill., June 22.—A total of \$3,500,000 is asked from the state of Illinois by heirs of victims of the Eastland steamship disaster in Chicago. A claim for that sum has been filed with the State Court of Claims by attorneys.

In its regulations governing the price of wool, the War Industries Board allows dealers to make a charge of 3 per cent of the selling price if the wool is not graded, and 3½ per cent if graded. This commission is to cover all shortage, cartage, and insurance.

10 PER CENT INCREASE GRANTED NEW EXPRESS CO.

Washington, June 20.—The consolidated Express company, which will start operations July 1 with increase in the rates of about ten per cent, with the sanction of the interstate commerce commission, it was learned to-day. Many exceptions to the general increase are to be made, however.

FACTS ON FOURTH LOAN.

Washington, June 20.—Tentative plans for the Fourth Liberty Loan, as indicated by the treasury, are: Amount, at least \$6,000,000,000. Interest rate, 4½ per cent. Campaign to open early in October. Denomination of bonds same as third loan.

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wet makes the ground run together
and get hard, why would not drag-
ging the roads after a rain have the
same effect?

The interest on the five hundred
dollars spent for the linoleum that
stands ended up on the floor at the
court house, would fill up a good
sized muthole.

We must worry along with 36
pounds of sugar a year, but it helps
a little bit to know that in England
they get only 26 pounds, and in
France and Italy only 13.

It is definitely settled now that
there will be no change made in draft
ages at the present time. Further
consideration will be given the matter
after the summer adjournment.

After raising a great tempest in a
tea pot about the matter England has
given up the idea of conscription in
Ireland. England knows how to raise
an Irish army but she is not willing to
pay the price—Home Rule.

Those people who are using more
flour or sugar than is allowed are
disloyal to the country, disloyal to
their fellowmen who are sacrificing
to save food for our army, and aiding
the enemy to murder our sons.

A few enterprising farmers in the
county are keeping in repair the pub-
lic roads upon which their farms lie.
This is a commendable public spirit,
and should be more generally adopt-
ed.

Just after the president said "let
politics stand adjourned," Vice-Pres-
ident Tom Marshall appeared before
the Indiana state Democratic conven-
tion and made a rip-roaring Demo-
cratic speech. Why doesn't the pres-
ident adjourn Tom?

Tom Marshall says providence has
set the president on the mountain
peak of duty. The Kaiser says Gott
is his partner. As between the de-
clarations of Marshall and the Kaiser
how is the humble layman to tell
which one has lied on the Lord?

For once the American people
have an opportunity to perform a
patriotic service and at the same
time conserve their personal fortunes.
By practicing a little selfdenial and
buying War Savings Stamps they will
help both the government and them-
selves.

Every living human being must
eat bread, so the government fixed
the price of wheat that all might eat.
Every human body, from the babe
in the manger to the corpse in the
coffin, must wear cotton. Then why
does not the government fix the price
of cotton?

O, well, we will have a primary.
M. L. Heavrin, of Hartford, and F.
J. Pentacost, of Henderson, will con-
test the Republican nomination for

Judge of the Court of Appeals in the
Second Judicial district, and like Ma-
son, of Beaver Dam, and John Has-
well, of Hardinsburg, will cross
swords for the congressional nomi-
nation.

plate advertising for bond and stamp
plat advertising for bond and stamp
sales persist in using the pictures of
Democratic politicians in making such
plates. The practice is inexcusable.
We are loyally supporting the ad-
ministration in the prosecution of the
war, but we are not interested in fur-
thering the political fortunes of Dem-
ocratic leaders.

After being solemnly assured by
the Democratic newspapers for
months that Senator James would
have no opposition in his own party
for the nomination at the August
primary, it turns out that Ollie will
have to submit to a race. The Hon.
Press Kimball, former congressman
from the seventh district, has an-
nounced against James, and will give
him a race.

We should like to see a big service
flag, with a blue star on its field for
every soldier boy in the camps or in
France, floating from the flag pole in
the court house yard. Who will lead
the movement for the popular sub-
scription to buy the flag? Let us
send the message to our boys in the
camps and on the fields of France
that we at least float a star on the
breeze at home in holy memory of
them.

When the victorious allies begin
to build anew the national fabrics of
the old world they should not forget
their duty to broken and bleeding
Russia. Russia under the rule of
the Bolshevik mob may present lit-
tle claims for sympathy, but it must
not be forgotten that Russia did
bleed and die in the great hour of the
allies' need, and her army played an
important part in staying the hand of
the Hun until England, France and
Italy could prepare for the final con-
quest.

At the August primary the people
of Ohio county will be called upon
to vote on the road tax. The measure,
if it carries, will impose a tax of 20
cents on the hundred dollars worth
of property to be expended for road
purposes. For every dollar of road
tax the people vote upon themselves
the state will pay three dollars to the
road fund of the county. The people
are offered good roads if they will
pay only 25 per cent of the cost of
building them. The proposition looks
too good to be lost.

The spirit of the allies is now
firmly fixed that the war must be
fought to a complete overthrow of
the German power. Time and ex-
pense will not be considered in the
larger necessity of finally and for-
ever destroying the German military
machine. The future tranquility of
mankind can be secured only by
crushing the military monster that is
drenching the world in blood. Left
with a germ of life it would rise up
again to threaten the peace of man-
kind and the civil progress of the
world. German lust for conquest
must be destroyed.

America must win this war. The
German military power to-day is
stronger than that of the allies. This
inequality must be overcome by the
addition of American strength. We
must send men and money in vast
numbers and quantities to the relief
of our allies. The condition is se-
rious and calls for the best that is in
the hearts of our people. Every man,
woman and child should perform
some productive labor, luxuries
should be scorned and every possible
sacrifice should be made till we win
the war. To hesitate to sacrifice is
not only disloyal, it is a crime.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.

An examination for teachers' cer-
tificates was held at Fordsville Fri-
day and Saturday. Thirteen appli-
cants appeared for examination. Of
these seven made first-class, two sec-
ond-class certificates and four fail-
ed.

Those making first-class certifi-
cates were: Evan Owen 91 10-11,
Stanley Murphy 92 8-11, Madge
Hoover 85, Zoda Raymond 95 8-11,
Abbie Whittinghill 92 2-11, Henry
Warner 91 4-11, and Mrs. Ira D.
Funk 97 5-11.

Those making second-class, with
their grades were: Ernie Boswell
82 5-11 and Edith Austin 81 3-11.

FLEE FROM BERLIN.

Copenhagen, June.—Four residents
of Berlin attempted to escape from
Germany Thursday in two airplanes.
One succeeded in landing in Denmark,
but the other was brought down in
the Baltic Sea by German guardships.
The machine which landed in Den-
mark had two occupants, one of
whom, a reserve officer, is a profes-
sor in the University of Berlin. They
say they fled from Berlin because of
the conditions there.

BOILED DOWN.

The federal control of railroads
in the first four months of such oper-
ation cost the government \$100,000,-
000.

The British government has called
for army service men up to fifty one
years old.

Some of the mountain counties of
Kentucky were the only counties in
the United States to volunteer their
total quota of men, and escape the
draft.

Jack Johnson, the negro pugilist
in exile from the United States, on a
forfeited bond, offered to volunteer
in the national army, but the authori-
ties refused to accept him.

In a rear end collision at Gary,
Indiana, fifty nine people were killed
and 115 injured. The killed and in-
jured were on the Hagerback-wallace
show train, and the accident will
probably put the famous show out of
business.

A big contonment is to be built at
West Point, Ky., for artillery train-
ing. It will embrace 40,000 acres
and accomodate 30,000 men.

The five big express companies of
the country have been merged into
one company, known as the Federal
Express Company, and placed under
federal control. Rates are advan-
ced 10 per cent.

According to Gen. March we will
have one million soldiers in France
by July 1.

At Castle Rock, Wash., a section
crew of seven is composed of women,
who work in overalls.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Waltz, of
Hawesville, have six sons in the army,
and have a younger son who will soon
be old enough for draft service.

Despite prohibition and higher
prices the consumption of whisky in
the United States for the year 1917
was the largest in the country's his-
tory.

The freight offices of the L. & N.
and the I. C. railroads at Owensboro
will be combined, and will be con-
solidated at the freight offices now
used by the L. & N.

NOTICE TO ROAD CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that on the
12th day of July, 1918, at the court
house door in Hartford, Ky., bids will
be received by the Ohio County Fis-
cal Court for the grading and con-
struction of about 2½ miles of inter-
county seat State aid road as fol-
lows: The Hartford-Hardinsburg
road from the town limits of Hart-
ford to the junction of the Sulphur
Springs and Davidson Station roads,
near the Milton Taylor place.

Plans and specifications for the
construction of this road are on file in
the office of the Commissioner of Pub-
lic Roads, Frankfort, Ky., and the
office of the County Judge of Ohio
county. The right to reject any or
all bids is reserved. Each bid must
be accompanied by a check for \$500
as a guarantee to enter into con-
tract with the Fiscal Court if the bid-
der be awarded the work.

MACK COOK,
5212 Judge Ohio County Court.

RED CROSS NOTES.

Orders have been received by the
Ohio county chapter giving her quota
of work until Sept. 1st.

The work rooms in Hartford have
been nicely cleaned, a new linoleum
laid in the sewing room. Two new
machines installed and the ladies will
be notified when the material arrives
and when work will be resumed.

Mr. W. M. Fair—of Fair & Co.—
kindly donated two new window
shades, much needed in the rooms and
the awning for the rear room has
been ordered. So that the rooms
will be more comfortable during the
summer.

Hartford friends of the Red Cross,
have responded promptly to every
suggestion of articles needed at the
rooms and now the only present want
is a half dozen more chairs. The
two court house benches have been
removed and some comfortable sew-
ing chairs would be acceptable.

OUR PRICES.

Millet Seed \$3.00 per bushel
Stock Peas \$2.25 per bushel
Soy Beans \$4.00 per bushel
D. L. D. SANDEFUR,
501f Beaver Dam, Ky.

DON'T BELIEVE ALL YOU HEAR.

Don't always take a customer's
word for it that a competitor is cut-
ting below you in price. There are
such things as dishonest shoppers,
you know. Investigate those claims.
first.

COMING TO HARTFORD JULY 3.



THE FAMOUS OCTETTE OF HAWAIIAN PLAYERS

Doors open at 8:30 P. M. Admission, adults 55 cents; children under 12, 28 cents,
war tax included. LOUIS (KELLY) RILEY, Manager.

BEAVER DAM.

Mrs. Arthur Miller and daughter,
Myrl, of Tulsa, Okla., are visiting
Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Wm. Chapman.

Mrs. J. F. Casebier and sons, Pax-
ton, and Frank Kelley, Miss Birchie
Leach, and Mrs. Daisy Wright motored
to Louisville last week, and were
the guests of Mrs. Jasper Coleman
while in the city.

Mr. Robert Haynes, U. S. N., is
visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Haynes.

Mrs. Eliza Raley has returned to
her home, after a visit to her daugh-
ter, Mrs. Lawrence Annis, and Mr.
Annis, of Logansport.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kinkead and
Miss Lillie Draper, of Illinois, are
visiting relatives at Taylor Mines.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Chapman, Mr.
and Mrs. Wm. Chapman, Mrs. Arthur
Miller, and Miss Myrl Miller were
the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mason
Taylor the first of the week.

Mrs. Mattie Bolling and son,
Raleigh Shelton, of Pine Bluff, Ark.,
are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. J. P. Taylor and son, Orman,
left for Detroit last week. Dr. Hart
has taken charge of the hotel.

Mrs. Maubra Ranney is visiting
relatives near Cronwell and Logans-
port.

A special, one day's fair will be
held at the grounds of the Ohio
County Fair, Co., Hartford, on July
4th 1918. Rings for the exhibition
of horses under saddle and in harness,
speed rings and races on the tracks,
as well as other attractions. Come,
meet your old friends and spend the
day pleasantly.

DR. L. B. BEAN, manager

MORE PATRIOTIC GIRLS.

Misses Myrtle and Edna Austin,
daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Lou Aus-
tin, of Beaver Dam, are taking
the place in the field of the
boy "over there." These plucky
girls replanted twenty acres of corn
and made hills for eight acres of to-
bacco, and are putting in six days a
week in the field.

CENTERTOWN.

Mr. Otto Strampfer, of Cincinnati,
Ohio, was the guest of Miss Nellie
Goodall last week.

Mr. Matthew Benton, who is lo-
cated at West Point, Ky., spent from
Saturday until Monday with his pa-
rents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Benton.

Miss Nola Tate is visiting her pa-
rents at Hodgeville, Ky.

Mr. E. G. Hagerman and family
have moved to Moorman, Ky.

Mrs. John Lindley, of Point Pleas-
ant, spent Saturday night and Sun-
day with Mr. E. M. Davis and fam-
ily.

Messrs. Marvin and Wallace Car-
lisle came home Monday from Akron,
Ohio, where they have been employ-
ed for some time.

Mrs. Arvin Tichenor, of Noreek,
is visiting friends and relatives here.
Masters Clinton and Clyde Lake,
of Louisville, are visiting relatives
at this place.

Miss Eula Reneer attended the
conference of the Epworth League,
at Russellville, last week.

Messrs. S. M. Dexter and J. F.
Ross are on the sick list.

The few cases of small pox are get-
ting along nicely.

MAGAN.

Quite a large crowd attended the
ice cream supper here Saturday
night. The supper was given by Bill

A BIG TAX DAY.

Miss Rosa Daniel, who has been
in Daviess county for some time, is
visiting relatives here.

Mr. Bluford Greer, of Canaan,
Mo., is spending a few weeks with
relatives here. Mr. Greer is in very
poor health.

Mrs. Rebecca Brown is visiting her
son, Mr. G. G. Brown, near Bells
Run.

Mrs. Mattie Whitehouse has had
an attack of rheumatism.

Mr. Warren Midkiff, wife and lit-
tle daughter, Willie, spent Satur-
day night with his brother, Cicero.

Mosley & Midkiff have bought Bon-
nie Midkiff's stock of goods. They
are the only merchants here now.

Mr. Alec Magan and family spent
Sunday with Mr. Magan's mother.

Miss Veola Westerfield went to
Fordsville Saturday.

Mrs. Frona Ralph and Mrs. Be-
atrice Whitehouse went to Hartford
one day last week for some dental
work.

Several from here attended sing-
ing at Beech Valley Sunday

Sometime ago a state revenue
agent came here and went through
the county clerk's office in search of
delinquent tax payers. He found
several hundred delinquents and ad-
vertised land sales. The delinquents
were notified and Wednesday was the
day set for them to come in to set-
tle with the Revenue Agent. The
agent failed to come. A big bunch
came in, and it looked like Circuit
Court day in Hartford. The penalty
for delinquency is heavy, and it re-
quires three times as much to pay
the tax as it would have taken had
it been paid when first due.

NO PETIT JURY.

I have been directed by Circuit
Judge, R. W. Slack, to notify all par-
ties and witnesses in cases in Circuit
Court and Petit Jurors, that there
will be no petit jury empaneled at
the July 1918 term of the Ohio Cir-
cuit Court and they need not attend.
S. A. BRATCHER, S. O. C.

Remember the Flag of Liberty. Buy War Saving Stamps

The flag means liberty, safety and happiness to
America. Because Americans have always been
willing to fight for it.

Our boys are in France. They are giving their
lives. They are withstanding shell-fire, the bayonet,
poison gas and the brutal fighting methods of the
Hun.

Do your part. Support the flag. Buy War Sav-
ing Stamps every week.

Let Carson & Company supply you with seasonable
and novelty merchandise for immediate needs.

Dainty Wash Good for Summer

Satin-stripe Voil, in assorted colors 25c
Plain Voil, all colors 25c
Plain Voil, all colors 35c
Fancy Voil 25c to 50c
100 pieces of Lawn 10c to 20c

Cool crisp Voils, with their colorings and novel
patterns, make the most charming summer dresses.
The sheerness and freshness of this fabric result in
most desirable and appropriate warm-weather
frocks. Moreover, they are very economical.

Carson & Co.
HARTFORD, KENTUCKY.



Mid-Summer Millinery

We are receiving now the latest styles in mid-summer Millinery and are prepared to give you the correct thing for summer wear.

Complete line of Panamas, Leghorns, fancy Chip and Milon. New fancy bands, Chiffons, Veilings, Etc.—a splendid opportunity to get what you want at a low price.

Summer Dress Goods

A splendid array of beautiful patterns in Silks, Georgette, Crepe de Chine, Organdies, Voiles, Flaxons, Demities, Etc.

A large assortment of Laces, Insertions, Bands, Etc. In fact, Trimmings to match our entire line of Dress Goods.

McCall Patterns carried in stock. Competent salesladies to wait on you. These are our inducements.

CALL, and remember that it pays to trade with a house that saves you money.

FAIR & CO.
THE FAIR DEALERS

Mr. Mark Renfrow, of Sunnydale, called on us while in town Wednesday.

John Pat Jones' wife died, of heart trouble, at her home in Hayti Wednesday night.

Mr. James Bennett has bought the residence property of ex-sheriff S. O. Keown, on Fredica street.

Certainly, we're all going to the one day special fair at the Ohio County Fair Grounds, July 4th.

Mr. John Bell and family went to Point Pleasant Sunday and spent the day with Mr. Bell's mother.

Rev. Russell Walker is in Russellville to attend the Summer Assembly of Baptist Sunday Schools.

Commonwealth's Attorney C. E. Smith is in Owensboro attending a special session of the criminal court.

Mrs. George Bunker is very ill of troubles incident to old age, and little hopes are entertained for her recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Leach, of Beaver Dam, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Blankenship.

Mrs. Waymon R. Cooper and little daughter, Louise, of Evansville, are the guests of Mrs. A. B. Riley this week.

Upon leaving for the army Mr. Simon Smith left his educated horse, centaur, in the care of Mr. Anderson Davison.

Mrs. Lizzie Barnes and Miss Ella Herring left the first of the week for a two weeks' stay at Dawson Springs.

Vasco Carden, of Owensboro, a former Ohio county boy, has enlisted in the Navy, and is in training at Paris Island, S. C.

Mrs. Wilhelmina Fehr, of Cannelton, Ind., is spending the summer with her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Schlemmer.

Mr. Henry Pirtle, an enterprising farmer near town, has purchased a farm tractor, and is well pleased with its work.

Mr. Nat Lindley and daughter, Miss Willye, of Point Pleasant, were pleasant callers at The Republican office Tuesday.

Miss Helen Anderson, daughter of Mrs. S. A. Anderson, of Louisville, is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. John P. Morton.

That great octette of Hawaiian musicians, now touring the country, will not pass this way again. Hear it at Hartford July 3.

County tax commissioner, Dillis Ward, went to Frankfort Tuesday to attend the state meeting of county tax commissioners.

Misses Veneta, Ouida and Helen Barnard, of Dundee, were guests of Superintendent and Mrs. E. S. Howard, Friday and Saturday.

Rev. Norman Robinson, of Caldwell county, preached at Cane Run church, near Horse Branch, Sunday and at Narrows Sunday evening.

Rev. Chester Stevens and wife, of Louisville, have returned to their home, after a visit with Rev. Stevens' mother, Mrs. Laura Stevens.

FOR SALE—1000 second-hand, 2 bushel wheat sacks. 20 cents each, for cash only, while they last. 5112. HARTFORD MILL CO.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sallee, who have been visiting the family of Judge R. R. Wedding, returned to their home at East St. Louis, Ill., Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon White, of Horse Branch, went to Chicago Saturday to visit their son, Stoy, who is in the Great Lakes Naval Training school, near that city.

Don't suffer from heat over that hot stove of yours this summer. Buy one of our GOOD OIL STOVES and do your cooking with pleasure. 5212. ACTON BROS.

W. D. Royal and June Litsey, officers of the Fordville Graded School, were in Hartford Tuesday making out from the Assessor's book a tax list for the school district.

Mr. J. W. Daniel and wife, of Olanton Route 1, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Orville Loyd, in Ohio, for several weeks, have returned home. Mrs. Loyd returned with them for a brief visit.

Rev. Virgil Elgin will preach at the Methodist church Sunday at 11:00 A. M., and also in the evening.

A patriotic rally will be held at the Methodist church here Sunday. Judge W. E. Settle will deliver an address.

Mr. C. E. Smith spent Sunday with his daughter, little Miss Martha Mary, who lives with her grandmother, Mrs. W. P. Render, near Point Pleasant.

Mrs. W. L. Acton, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. B. S. Ellis, left for Owensboro, a few days before going to her home at Port Clinton, Ohio.

Miss Nell Tweddell, of Midland, Miss Xouatt Rhoads and Miss Gertrude Schlemmer, of Hartford, spent the week with Minnie Lauterwasser, Route 1.

There is a lady's slipper at this office that was found on the Sulphur Springs road. The owner may have it by calling for it and paying for this ad.

Messrs. Charlie and J. M. Baker, and Miss Sallie Baker, of Patesville, and Mrs. Belle Clark, of Owensboro, visited relatives at Sunnydale Saturday and Sunday.

County court clerk Blankenship is beating the thirty-six hour law. He bought a hundred dollars worth of seed peas and went to his farm Monday morning.

Mrs. E. D. Turley and son, Edward, of Chicago, are visiting Mrs. Turley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Williams. They will be joined next week by Mr. Turley for a brief visit.

Following the musical entertainment of the Hawaiian players, Wednesday night, July 3, a dance will be given at which the Hawaiian players will furnish the music.

Mr. S. H. Allen, of Laurel, Miss., and Miss Lucile Duncan and Mr. John Duncan, of Hawesville, were guests of Judge and Mrs. John B. Wilson Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. Virgil Elgin, former pastor of the Methodist church here, and wife and daughter, arrived in Hartford Tuesday for a ten days' stay with Rev. Elgin's son, Mr. Virgil Elgin.

Dr. Ellis Jones, of Keifer, Okla., has been commissioned a First Lieutenant in the National army. Dr. Jones was reared near Fordville, and is a son of Mr. W. R. Jones, deceased.

Dr. C. M. Heavrin and wife, Dr. C. E. Heavrin, D. Arnold McCarty, Mrs. J. W. McCarty and son, James, of Owensboro, motored over to Hartford Monday and had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Heavrin.

Lieut. Wayman Richards, of the quartermasters department of the army, at Atlanta, Georgia, recently visited his relatives at Fordville. It was Lieut. Richards' first furlough in four years of service.

Mrs. F. L. Felix returned Monday from a visit with relatives in Louisville. She was accompanied home by her daughter, Mrs. C. B. Kniskern, of Brookline, Mass., who will spend some time here.

Miss Arlie Thomas, daughter of Mr. J. H. Thomas, who has been attending St. Mary Magdalene's parochial school, in Louisville, came home Monday. Miss Thomas was awarded the scholarship medal at the close of the school.

Mr. Norval Brown and wife and daughter, of Newcastle, Ind., are visiting relatives at McHenry. Mr. Brown left Newcastle in a car at 10:30 Sunday night, and drove all night, reaching Owensboro late Monday afternoon.

We want to give the public a friendly warning that there is a city ordinance against hitching horses to shade trees in Hartford, and that on account of some recent damage to trees fines may possibly follow a violation of this ordinance.

Mr. Cook Bean, a former Ohio county man, now employed with the Louisville City Railway, is not afraid of the thirty six hour labor law. Mr. Bean has worked ten hours, and frequently longer, every day for the past five years, Sunday included.

Repeated warnings that this newspaper will not use communications not signed by the writer do not stop the flood of such contributions. We must insist on our regular correspondents observing this rule as well as the occasional contributor.

Mr. John Cook, of Banock, Butler county, is visiting his son, Judge

Special One Day Fair

OHIO COUNTY FAIR GROUNDS
HARTFORD, KY.
JULY 4th, 1918.

RING PROGRAM.
Class 1—Best Jack, any age, \$10.00.
Class 2—Jersey Cattle. Best Cow, any age, (Premium by Acton Bros.) \$8.00.
Class 3—Hereford Cattle. Best Cow, any age, (premium by Hartford Bottling Works, J. R. Hoover, Prop.) \$8.00.
Class 4—Saddle Horses. Best Saddle Stallion, mare or gelding, any age \$15.00.
Class 5—Harness Horses. Best Harness Stallion, mare or gelding, any age, \$15.00.
Class 6—Ladies' Riding Ring, \$5.00.
Boys' Riding Ring, \$4.00.
Class 7—Mules. Best suckling mule colt, \$10.00; \$7.50 to

first, \$2.50 second. (Premium by Hub Clothing Co.).
Class 8—Best suckling colt, sired by Rexy's Chief, \$12.00; \$8.00 to first, \$4.00 to second. (Premium by Black & Birkhead, owners.)
Class 9—Best couple in cake walk, \$10.00; \$7.50 to first, \$2.50 to second.
Stock sales will be held at 12:30.
SPEED PROGRAM.
Mule Race, 1/2-mile dash, two in three, \$8.00.
2:30 Trot or Pace, mile heats, 3 best in 5, \$100.00.
1/2-Mile dash, 2 best in 3, \$75.00.
1-Mile dash, 2 best in 3, \$100.00.

The Famous Owensboro Band Has Been Procured to Furnish Music for the Occasion.

POULTRY WANTED!

Hens 21c, Cox 11c,
Chix 25c.

Subject to Change of Market.

Watch These Columns

Our prices will appear each week.
We buy poultry every day.

DAVIDSON - SEAY - ADAMS CO.

W. E. ELLIS & BRO, Managers.
License No. G-04781.

PHOENIX SILK HOSE

ALL COLORS

\$1.50 to \$2.00.

Hub Clothing Co.

HARTFORD, KY.

Mack Cook. Mr. Cook is ninety one years old. This was his first trip to Hartford since the civil war. Mr. Cook has good health for his age. Unlike the Judge the elder Cook is a Democrat.

FOR SALE—One 3 year old, pure bred jersey milch cow and (second) calf. Also one good jersey cow and (first) calf. Prices, \$100.00 and \$80.00, respectively.
R. I. BARNARD
Route 3, Beaver Dam.

R. F. Haynes, son of Mr. W. M. Haynes, of Beaver Dam, who is in the Naval service, is home on furlough. He was formerly on the U. S. S. Massachusetts which is now in the

navy yard for repairs. Mr. Haynes will do service on the U. S. S. Texas after his return to duty July 15.

On another page of this paper will we found a very interesting letter from France, written by Henry De-Haven Moorman, who resigned the office of Commonwealths attorney for the Breckenridge-Hardin-Meads district to enlist as a private in the national army. The letter was written to Mr. Frank B. Russell, of Louisville, by whose courtesy we reproduce it.

When you have Backache the liver or kidneys are sure to be out of gear. Try Sano!, it does wonders for the liver, kidneys and bladder. A trial 50c bottle will convince you. Get it at the drug store 46-yr

The Hartford Republican

FRIDAY, JUNE 28

M., H. & E. R. R. TIME TABLE.
South Bound, No. 115—
Due at Hartford.....9:05 a. m.
North Bound, No. 114—
Due at Hartford.....6:45 p. m.
(Both "Mixed" Trains.)

Personal News and Social Events.

Me for the one day's big fair July 4th.

Deeds and mortgages for sale at this office.

Buy your BALE TIES from ACTON BROS. 5212

For RUBBER ROOFING see ACTON BROS. 5212

Mr. I. S. Mason was in town the first of the week.

Elder W. J. Brandon, of Fordville, was in town Monday.

Whippoorwill Peas \$2.75 per bu. at 501t W. E. ELLIS & BRO.

Col. Edwin Forbes, of Fordville, was in town Saturday.

You will pay your subscription eventually, why not now?

Mr. J. A. Bellamy, of Deanfield, was in town Wednesday.

Water Coolers, Refrigerators and Ice Boxes at ACTON BROS. 5212

If you have something to sell advertise it in the Republican.

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Mrs. John Moore, of Louisville, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mat Ross.

County attorney A. D. Kirk was in Louisville from Saturday until Monday.

Master Paul Wright, of Fordville, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. S. O. Keown.

Get RYE and whole WHEAT FLOUR from W. E. WLLIS & BRO.

The younger generation at McHenry are afflicted with whooping cough.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Keown spent Sunday with relatives in Fordville.

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Mrs. J. W. Jones, of Murray, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Laura Stevens.

Mr. James Davis and little son, Diamond, of Sunnydale, called on us Wednesday.

Judge John B. Wilson made a business trip to Evansville the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Allen, of near Centertown, are the parents of a boy, born Tuesday.

Robert Chinn, a Camp Taylor soldier boy, is visiting his home folks at Cool Springs.

Mr. C. T. Sutton, of Owensboro, was the guest of friends in Fordville the first of the week.

Hear the famous Hawaiian musicians at Hartford July 3, at 8:30 P. M. Admission 55 and 28 cents.

Mr. Charlie Carden shipped a car load of corn from here this week. He paid \$1.50 a bushel for it.

Miss Thelma Baxter, of Beaver Dam, is spending the week-end with Miss Gertrude Schlemmer.

Attorneys Otto Martin and H. P. Taylor were in Evansville on legal business the first of the week.

The Parent-Teachers Association will hold a call meeting at the school building at 3:00 this afternoon.

Lieut. Lum Igleheart, of Camp Taylor, visited his mother, Mrs. Ella Igleheart, the first of the week.

Miss Ora Williams left yesterday for Elgin, Ill., where she goes to accept a place in the Mercy Hospital of that city.

BOLSHEVIKI ARE IN NEW TROUBLES

Looters From All Sides Snatch For Pieces Of Russ Nation.

Stockholm, June 22.—Troubles are piling up for the Russian Bolsheviks. Gradually slices of their territory are being taken away from them. Germans, Finns, Siberians, Cossacks, Czechoslovaks, Ukrainians, Austrians—all are grabbing for pieces of what once was the great Russian empire.

The Bolsheviks have almost as many enemies as Kaiser Wilhelm. How long they will be able to hold out under this pressure from the outside, with their own subjects constantly threatening to overthrow them in the interior, is problematical.

Berlin To Blame.

Of course the Teutonic hand of Berlin is discernible in most of the troubles of the Bolsheviks—all of them in fact, except those caused by the Czechoslovaks in Siberia.

The most menacing situation just now is in Karelia, the northernmost province of Russia, which cuts the Arctic circle and adjoins Finland.

The Finnish government, inspired by Germany, is casting longing eyes toward this district and, in fact, has as much as announced that it plans to annex it. There are many Finns in Karelia who are said to be in favor of being joined with their fatherland.

The Finnish minister in Petrograd has been called to Helsinki to discuss the subject of treating diplomatically with the Bolshevik government, on the question. But if Finland can't get Karelia peacefully, it seems likely it will take it away.

Allies May Speak.

The Finns claim that annexation is necessary to save the district from the terrorization it has been subject to by Bolshevik bands which have even invaded Finland and fought with Finnish soldiers.

The principal importance of Karelia to the allies is that the Murman railroad traverses it from Petrograd to Kola bay, on the Arctic ocean. If the allies take any steps toward intervention in Russia this road becomes of vital importance. Therefore England, America and France may have something to say to Finland on the subject.

In the southern part of Russia revolution is rife. The revolt of the Cossacks against the Bolsheviks is gaining momentum and the Cossacks are pushing the boundaries of their republic farther north every day. In Ukraine 40,000 armed peasants have organized to fight the German-controlled government.

Bohemian Army Acts.

In Western Siberia the pro-ally Czechoslovak army, comprising 60,000 Bohemian and Slovak soldiers who deserted or were captured from the Austrian army, has obtained control of the Trans-Siberian Railway.

In conjunction with the Russian population the Czechoslovaks have set up another republic, which makes the number of states into which the czar's former domains have been split up about an even dozen.

Premier Lenin has become so nervous over the situation that he is planning to visit Berlin and Vienna to discuss the problem with his German masters.

What this means anyone with half an eye can see.

Sour Stomach.

This is a mild form of indigestion. It is usually brought on by eating too rapidly or too much, or of food not suited to your digestive organs. If you will eat slowly, masticate your food thoroughly, eat but little meat and none at all for supper, you will more than likely avoid the sour stomach without taking any medicine whatever. When you have sour stomach take one of Chamberlain's Tablets to aid digestion.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

William Smith hated nicknames. He said that most fine given names were ruined by nicknames, and that he should name his sons so that it would be impracticable to curtail their names. In pursuance of that idea he named his boys William, Wilbert, Wilfred and Wilmont. They are all big boys now and they are known among the friends as Skinny, Butch, Chuck and Kid.

BETHESDA POOL HISTORY NOW IN 78 LANGUAGES

Jerusalem, June 22.—The British Tommies have added an historical touch to the Pool of Bethesda, of biblical fame. Steps lead down to the pool, the water of which is not any too clean, and on the walls, in seventy-seven different languages, is the account of the healing described in

the fifth chapter of John. But one Tommy, not finding his mother tongue represented, promptly wrote out the story in Welsh. So now there are seventy-eight versions for visitors to choose from.

THIS NAME EVEN TOO LONG FOR HEAD WRITER

Kansas City, Mo., June 22.—John Wenne, room clerk at a local hotel, scanned the register carefully after a prospective guest had registered. The clerk looked at the man and then at the name, which read: Stanley Vandervollhinkensteinhauserlouzurski, Grand Rapids, Mich. He asked: "How many in the party please?"

Muttering something about people should be able to read the English language, Mr. (please note above paragraph for name) grabbed his fountain pen, drew a line through the name and departed, presumably for another hotel.

FULTON COUNTY FARMER "DOES HIS BIT"

Hickman, Ky., June 21.—Chester T. Bondurant, of this city, doubtless has the distinction of harvesting the largest individual wheat crop in the State of Kentucky, which has been finished this week in good shape. This crop was 900 acres, located in the fertile bottom west of town, and Mr. Bondurant states he will certainly thresh as much as 30,000 bushels from the 900 acres, or an average of better than 30 bushels to the acre. He started into the harvest with nine binders, and the machines ran well into the night in order to take advantage of the good weather. While labor was scarce, he made it interesting by paying as much as \$5 a day for good hands. In breaking ground for this tremendous crop, Mr. Bondurant equipped his tractor with electric headlights and ran day and night.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA SHE DID EVERYTHING ELSE.

A farmer's wife in Connecticut, hurrying from milking the cows to the kitchen, from the kitchen to the churn, from the churn to the woodshed, and back to the kitchen stove, was asked if she wanted to vote. She vehemently replied: "No, I certainly do not. I say, now, if there's one thing that the men folks can do alone, for heaven's sake let 'em do it."

An additional credit of \$3,250,000 has been extended to Belgium by the United States, making a total of \$107,850,000 loaned to that country, and credits to all the allies \$5,288,550,000.

TOO FAR.

Zero: Bill told me a funny story in New York, and when I'd gotten to Chicago I couldn't remember it. Kolder: That was carrying a joke too far.

BASEBALL IN THE BIBLE.

"The devil was the first coacher. He coached Eve when she stole first. Adam stole second. "When Isaac met Rebecca at the well she was walking with a pitcher. "Samson was struck out when he beat the Philistines. "Moses made his first run when he saw the Egyptians. "Cain made a base hit when he killed Abel. "Abraham made a sacrifice. "David was a long-distance thrower. "Moses shut out the Egyptians at the Red Sea."

JOHNSON'S COME BACK.

Chicago, June 21.—President Ban Johnson, of the American League, to-day said that he could not understand General Crowder's statement that baseball was non-productive, as the two major leagues, he said, will deliver to the Government a war tax reaching nearly \$300,000.

"The ball players, umpires, club stockholders and officials have bought more than \$5,000,000 worth of Liberty bonds and have subscribed thousands upon thousands of dollars to the Red Cross and other war charities," President Johnson said. "Where is there another class of men earning as much for the Government?"

ON THE GROUND FLOOR.

Cox: I want to buy some coffee in the bean. Box: You'll have to go upstairs, this is the ground floor!

549 IS TOTAL OF WEEK'S CASUALTIES

14 Were Killed In Action, In France, In Seven Days.

Washington, June 23.—Casualties in the American army overseas thus far reported by General Pershing, including the list made public to-day, total 8,634, as compared with 8,085 a week ago. They were divided in the War Department's weekly summary to-day as follows:

Killed in action (including 291 lost at sea), 1,312.
Died of wounds, 432.
Died of disease, 1,268.
Died of accidents and other causes, 446.
Wounded in action, 4,811.
Missing in action, including prisoners, 365.

Casualties among the marines with the expeditionary forces are not included in this list. No official tabulation of these casualties reported to date are available to-day, but unofficial figures show that they total slightly more than 1,000.

The 549 names reported by General

Pershing since last Sunday included 140 killed in action, 68 died of wounds, 38 died of disease, 24 died of accidents and other causes, 264 wounded in action and 19 missing in action, including prisoners.

With some 900,000 men now in France, the small number of deaths from disease reported is considered rather remarkable and shows that the American soldiers are in fine physical condition.

HUNS SELL LOOT OF BELGIUM IN NORMANDY

Christiana, June 23.—Belgian and French antique furniture has been placed on sale by a German firm here. The local newspapers advise buyers of the furniture to look for stains of blood, as it is obviously from the occupied districts of France and Belgium.

MORE LIKELY.

"Any rags? Any old iron?" chanted the dealer as he knocked at the suburban villa. The man of the house himself opened the door.

"No, go away," he snapped, irritably. "There's nothing for you. My wife is away."

The itinerant merchant hesitated a moment, and then inquired: "Any old bottles?"

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CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge—R. W. Slack, Owensboro.
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Clerk—A. C. Porter, Hartford.
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Trustee Jury Fund—Cal P. Keown, Hartford.

1st Monday in March—12 days—Com'th. and Civil.

1st Monday in May—12 days—Civil.

1st Monday in July—12 days—Com'th. and Civil.

3d Monday in September—12 days—Civil.

4th Monday in November—12 days—Com'th. and Civil.

COUNTY COURT.

Meets first Monday in each month.

Judge—Mack Cook.

County Att'y.—A. D. Kirk.

Clerk—W. C. Blankenship.

Sheriff—S. A. Bratcher.

Superintendent—E. S. Howard.

Jailer—Worth Tichenor.

Assessor—D. E. Ward.

Surveyor—C. S. Moxley.

Coroner—Dr. A. B. Riley.

FISCAL COURT.

Meets Tuesday after first Monday in January, April and October.

1st District—Ed Shown, Hartford, Route 3.

2nd District—Sam L. Stevens, Beaver Dam.

3rd District—Q. B. Brown, Simmons.

4th District—G. W. Rowe, Centertown.

5th District—W. C. Daugherty, Baizetown.

6th District—W. S. Dean, Dundee.

7th District—B. F. Rice, Fordsville.

8th District—B. C. Rhoades, Hartford, Route 5.

HARTFORD.

Mayor—J. E. Bean.

Clerk—J. A. Howard.

Police Judge—C. M. Crowe.

Marshal—E. P. Casebier.

ROCKPORT.

Ch'm'n. Board—James Wilson.
Clerk—Rushing Hunt.

Police Judge—John T. Jackson.
Marshal—Will Langford.

BEAVER DAM.

Ch'm'n. Board—W. T. McKenney.
Clerk—R. W. King.

Police Judge—J. W. Cooper.
Marshal—R. F. Stevens.

FORDSVILLE.

Ch'm'n. Board—W. R. Jones.
Clerk—Olla Cobb.

Police Judge—C. P. Kessinger.
Marshal—Grant Pollard.

OFFICIAL SCHOOL CALENDAR.

County Board of Education.

E. S. Howard, S. S. O. C.

Div. No. 1—J. M. Hoover, Hartford, Ky.

Div. No. 2—O. W. Duff, Fordsville, Ky.

Div. No. 3—H. L. Carter, Narrows, Ky.

Div. No. 4—Robert Goff, Rosine, Ky.

Div. No. 5—Otis H. Stevens, Beaver Dam, Ky.

Div. No. 6—Nat Lindley, Centertown, Ky.

Time of Meeting—1st Monday in February; 1st Monday in April; 1st Monday in June; 1st Monday in August; 1st Monday in October; 1st Monday in December.

County Board of Examiners—E. S. Howard, Mrs. I. S. Mason, Mrs. O. W. Duff.

Jan. 25 and 26—Common School Diploma Examination.

May 10 and 11—Common School Diploma Examination.

May 17 and 18—County Teachers' Examination (white).

May 24 and 25—County Teachers' Examination (colored).

June 22 and 23—County and State Teachers' Examination (white).

June 28 and 29—County and State Teachers' Examination (colored).

Sept. 20 and 21—County and State Teachers' Examination (white).

Sept. 27 and 28—County and State

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For every day that your pullets fail to lay after they cease growing you are pocketing a loss.

Laying is retarded by any check to growth at any period from hatching to maturity.

Laying is retarded by seemingly trivial disturbances, like moving from place to place and radical changes in rations.

In order to be sure of early eggs—eggs laid at a time when prices are high and eggs scarce—see to it that the growth of your pullets is not retarded, and that they are never annoyed or frustrated unnecessarily.

Cannergrams.

Get down to cases—cases of home-canned products.

A row of filled preserving jars is a good defense against winter.

Sterilized, sealed, saved—the three "S's" of home canning.

S. O. S.—Sterilize on stove—another way of saying "boil those jars of fruits and vegetables so they will keep perfectly."

The useful life of a preserving jar—filled in summer, ready by fall, emptied in winter—hungry to save more food next spring and summer.

A wooden false bottom is a home-canning outfit is a raft that keeps lots of perishable food from being lost.

An all-around good thing for the Nation—a rubber ring on a preserving jar.

A fourth floor apartment is a fine place to produce a canned garden. Persons of every level should can, the family in the top flat as well as the dweller in the bungalow.

You don't need even a foot of earth to raise a canned garden—in fact the less dirt the better in home canning.

The color of those jars of canned and preserved products put a service emblem in your kitchen.

Brighten the corner of that kitchen closet—with canned beans, fruits, berries.

The needs and habits of sheep differ widely from those of horses, cattle, and swine, but presently no problems that will not be met by study and observation supported by satisfactory returns. The way boys in sheep clubs have mastered the principles of sheep raising is ample proof of this statement.

State Losses From Rodents.

Some idea of the loss suffered by individual States from native rodents may be obtained from the following estimate recently submitted to the United States Department of Agriculture by State directors of agricultural extension work: Montana, \$15,-

000,000 to \$20,000,000; North Dakota, \$6,000,000 to \$9,000,000; Kansas, \$12,000,000; Colorado, \$2,000,000; California, \$20,000,000; Wyoming, 15 per cent of all crops; Nevada, 10 to 15 per cent of all crops, or \$1,000,000; New Mexico, \$1,200,000 loss to crops and double this amount to range.

In the improvement of beef cattle care has been taken to develop to the greatest extent those portions of the body from which are secured the high-priced cuts of beef. These points should be kept in mind when selecting breeding animals.

Watch For "Locusts."

Agents of the Bureau of Entomology of the United States Department of Agriculture are requested to report the occurrence this year of swarms of the periodical cicada (17-year locust). The brood of cicada due this year is designated as Brood IX and its main location extends from the southern part of West Virginia into North Carolina. Reports of other years indicate also scattering colonies of this brood in northern Virginia and West Virginia and extending northward into Ohio.

Brood X, the largest of the 17-year broods, is due next year, 1919, which, therefore, will be the great cicada year of the current 17-year period. Brood X occupies the Ohio Valley and the Alleghany Mountain region from Alabama and Georgia northward through Pennsylvania to scattered colonies in New York and some of the New England States.

To control or eradicate a weed it is first necessary to determine the kind, the character, and habits of growth and reproduction, and sufficient about its life history to fix the time when it is most susceptible to treatment.

Very often the price of land in a community is largely regulated by the number and character of the weeds present.

Free The Henhouse Of All The Pests.

Fowls are infested by two kinds of body parasites—lice and mites. Lice live continuously upon the birds. The common mite feeds upon them on the roost at night, and after feeding secretes itself in the cracks and crevices about the roost.

There are many different kinds of poultry lice. Those most common on fowls are—the body louse, yellowish in color and about one-tenth of an inch in length, which remains on the skin of the fowl; the shaft louse, somewhat smaller and very pale in color, which is usually seen on the shafts of the feather; and the head louse, a large gray species which is most frequently observed on the heads of young chickens.

Lice are not usually very abundant on healthy fowls which are kept under sanitary conditions and provided with dust baths. They multiply rapidly upon birds of low vitality and sluggish temperament, and are quickly distributed through flocks upon premises where attention to cleanliness is indifferent.

Individual Treatment Advisable. For novices in poultry keeping, and with small flocks generally, it is advisable to make sure that the flock is

free from lice by giving the birds individual treatment, which will secure that result. The most universally procurable article for this purpose is powdered sulphur. The method of applying this is to hold the bird by the feet, head down, and dust the sulphur freely into the feathers, using either a small insect-powder gun, or a can with perforated cover. Pyrethrum may be used in the same way. Neither of these remedies will thoroughly and permanently rid poultry of lice. When they are used treatment must be repeated at more or less frequent intervals, as may appear necessary.

By using commercial sodium fluorid in the form of powder, or as a dip, all species of poultry lice may be destroyed at one application. As the high efficiency of sodium fluorid destroying lice on poultry is of recent discovery the material is not ordinarily found in all drug stores. With a demand for it, however, local druggists will secure supplies. Poultry keepers who desire to thoroughly eradicate lice from their flocks should write the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., for Farmers' Bulletin 801, which gives, with full details of the use of sodium fluorid, complete information on the control of mites and lice.

The common chicken mite is a very small gray insect, when it has filled itself with blood, becomes bright red, hence the name "red mite" by which it is often called. It may be discovered, if present, by looking on the under side of the roost and nest supports, and in the wall crevices near them. Where the mites are very abundant they may be found in large masses in such places. They also frequent the nest of sitting hens. With reasonable attention to the cleanliness of poultry houses, mites are not likely to be troublesome except in warm weather.

Treatment for mites consist in applications of liquid insecticides or disinfectants applied to the places where they harbor, repeating the applications at intervals of about a week until all are destroyed. Any of the petroleum products commonly used for disinfectant purposes will be found effective for the destruction of mites.

Good Roads Centralize Schools.

That improved roads would benefit our country-school system there would seem to be no doubt. Good roads makes it possible to consolidate or centralize the schools and to establish graded schools in the rural districts. Such schools centrally located will accommodate all of the children within a radius of 4 or 5 miles. In many communities having the advantage of improved roads commodious buildings have been provided, more competent teachers for teaching supplied at a minimum cost.

How Weeds Reduce Crop Yield.

Considering the principal crops in the United States, it is estimated that weeds reduce the yield of corn by 10 per cent; tame hay, 3 to 16 per cent; potatoes, 6 to 10 per cent; spring grain, 12 to 15 per cent; winter grain, 5 to 9 per cent; tobacco, fruit, and truck crops, 0 to 5 per cent; pasture, 5 to 50 per cent.

Look Out For Fires In Hay Stacks—

See That Hay Is Properly Cured.

A well-filled mow of a big stack of hay, symbol ordinarily of happy prosperity, may contain within it the lurking

spirit of a fire that will sweep a farmstead.

Many destructive blazes, points out a Department of Agriculture bulletin on fire prevention, have been caused by a spontaneous ignition of hay, especially clover and alfalfa. The first cutting of the latter seems to be most dangerous. If hay of this kind has rain or dew on it or if the stacks are not cured thoroughly, the moisture will cause fermentation which may produce sufficient heat to start a fire. The combustion, however, can not continue long without oxygen and may cease without coming to the surface. Its presence can be detected by a peculiar sooty odor or by smoke irritating to the eyes. It may take place from a few days to several weeks after the hay is put up.

About Weaning The Pigs.

When the pigs are about five weeks old, they will begin to taste some of their mother's feed. Do not be in a hurry to wean them. Eight weeks is young enough to wean them, if there is skim milk for them. Of course the size and development has a great deal to do with their weaning age. If skim milk is not obtainable, it is better to let the pigs nurse the sow until ten weeks old.

Skim milk and corn, or skim milk and short, fed in the proportion of 3 to 1, make an excellent ration for weanlings. If skim milk is not available, a mixture of 5 parts corn meal 4 parts middlings, and 1 part tank age, fed as a thin slop, is very good. Good succulent pasture is always beneficial. It will aid wonderfully in putting growth on the young pigs, and the grain expense will be lessened. After a litter of pigs has been weaned and are eating well, the most difficult part of their care is over.

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RUSSELLITES GIVEN LONG PRISON TERMS

New York, June 21.—Joseph F. Rutherford, successor of "Pastor" Russell as head of the International Bible Students Association and six of his associates were to-day sentenced to twenty years' imprisonment for conspiracy to violate the espionage law.

Played By Court.

Twenty years on each count is the extreme penalty, and Federal Judge Howe, who imposed the punishment, denied all motions for setting aside the verdict, staying sentence or liberating the defendants on bail pending an appeal. Counsel for the defendants announced their intention to appeal at once to the Circuit Court.

"In the opinion of the court the religious propaganda which these defendants have vigorously advocated and spread throughout the nation as well as among our allies is a greater danger than a division of the German army," said Judge Howe in pronouncing sentence.

"If they had taken guns and swords and joined the German army the harm they could have done would have been insignificant compared with the results of their propaganda. A person preaching religion usually has much influence and if he is sincere he is all the more effective. This aggravates rather than mitigates the wrong they have done."

"Therefore, as the only prudent thing to do with such persons, the court has concluded that the punishment should be severe."

The sentences will be served at the Federal penitentiary in Atlanta.

The charges against Rutherford and the other defendants was that they preach sedition in "Pastor" Russell's posthumous book, "The Finished Mystery," and advised resistance to the draft.

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STRAY STREAKS

(By Fluke McFluke.)

They have shortened our flour rations so that we now get just about enough to make old fashioned thickened gravy, that is, we would have, if we had something to grease the gravy.

Bat Nall has been troubled with bad feet lately (and so have those who have been forced to associate with him) and while the examining physicians did not use a magnifying glass or the X-ray, he said it was no trouble to tell that said feet needed nothing more than concentrated lye, water and brisk rubbing.

We saw a little "nigger" near the bakery the other evening with a hunk of old time before-the-war jelly cake as big as Bob Walker's foot (no, not both, just one of them) and if we'd had that nigger out in some lone-some spot we'd had that cake or murdered him on the spot.

John Henry boosted the road working proposition sky-high, got every fellow possible in a big way to give a day's labor, last Friday, and, true to our prediction, Thomas hit it for Louisville, leaving the office and work in such shape that Fluke could not even get off to work the road, as he patriotically wished to do.

The author, or perpetrator of this column and I. D. Clair were at daggers points for several days, due to jealousy. One patron of the paper dropped into the joint and said he believed that he liked "Stray Streaks" just a little bit better than he did Beads Oddly Strung. Another fellow, whose opinion I don't care much for, said he thought Beads Oddly Strung was not quite as rotten as Stray Streaks. Then the war broke out "over here" 'twixt Declair and yours truly, as to who was the most popular author, as to whose stuff was the most widely read, and as to which column induced the greater number of subscribers to drop their dollars into the concern's coffers. The row

was in its height when along came a third, unappreciative, sort of a chronic growling, sore headed subscriber who said he thought it a darn sinful shame that the Board of Directors would permit such blamed rot to run in the paper as that under the names of I. D. Clair and Fluke McFluke, and that he was going to withdraw his support of 30 years standing, if the two columns were not cut out. The self-imagined writers of great and glorious squibs then quit their scrapping, started talking the matter over through the open door, each from his own apartment and are now living happily together, tho laying with blackjacks for the unappreciative, thick headed and bellyaching subscriber. Thus murder was prevented, and this story ends.

Everything in this column is original, new and true, if not otherwise.

SULPHUR SPRINGS.

Crops are needing rain. Some farmers are done planting corn, but the wire worms are doing great damage to that planted.

Wheat harvest is over and clover cutting is in progress.

A few girls are donning overalls, and taking their places in the fields, and doing the work of men. This good work just begun should be followed by other girls to help make a bumper crop. When the boys get back from France they will be wanting wives, and if they are wise as I think they are they will be looking for the girls that helped feed them while they were fighting for their country. A word to the wise is sufficient.

The editor of the Republican started in last week to tell what he didn't know but soon discovered it was too big a job and quit. No, John H., don't undertake it. Life is too short and paper too high.

Mrs. A. A. Murphy and three children, of Illinois, are visiting relatives, Mr. Murphy may follow soon. If the prospects look good Mr. Murphy may locate here again, for like most other people who leave Ohio county they are never satisfied till they come back.

BEADS ODDLY STRUNG.

(By I. D. Clair.)

If the United States does declare war on Turkey won't we make the feathers fly?

McAdoo has nominated Pa-in-law for a third term, but if Pa runs them Democratic newspapers that fit Teddy so hard on the third term, will have to do a lot of camouflaging their editorials of 1916.

This company order reduce Tinsley's wages for the summer. No bald headed man is worth mor'n half price endurin' fly time.

There is two native and one visitin' ninety-genarians in Hartford this week. They are Uncle Billie Render 93, Mrs. Q. C. Shanks 97, and Judge Cook's father 91.

The residence next door to mine was sold last week, and Tinsley was mean enough to say it will sell frequently unless I move.

I know a man in this town who has nine quarts of "Old Joe Taylor" whisky, and he is that dad dratted stingy he wouldn't give me and Lon Ralph and Judge Cook a drink after we went out and helped him thrash his wheat.

The street corner yarn wheel is spinning some this week. Steve May is at home.

Tinsley let it git out that if Ike Mason was elected to congress he was to be Ike's private secretary, and its losin' Ike a sight of votes.

We haven't seen Battie Nall for several days. Guess he is hidin' out from the make'm work commissioner.

I can give the Hayti boys a clean bill of health about workin'. I passed through there Monday and there wasn't a mother's son of them to be seen. But they might a bin loafin' in the back yards.

There's enough gasoline wasted in runnin' round in automobiles, grubbed to worthless dogs and time lost in discussin' the war to feed Pershin's army.

I ain't uneasy about the future defense of the country. If the war lasts a few years longer we will have an army of old maids, big enough to whip the world.

They say there is only a thin line between genius and insanity. and after readin' Stray Streaks I'll be hanged if I can tell which side that thin line Tinsley is on.

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COOL SPRINGS.

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Mr. Charlie Elliott, wife and little daughter, Marguerite, and Mrs. Emma Brown, of Graham, visited relatives here last week.

Mr. Thomes Tate and Jesse Brown visited Mr. Roscoe Wilson, of Butler county, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. Robert Chinn, of Camp Taylor, is at home on a months furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilson and daughter, Knightsburg, were the guests of Mr. T. C. Dennis, Thursday.

Mrs. O. N. Stewart will teach the Coolsprings school, beginning July 8 Misses Beulah Taylor and Corine Dennis were the guests of their cousin, Miss Pauline Wilson, of Knightsburg, last week.

Mr. Tom Kennedy, who was sent to the asylum at Hopkinsville last week, committed suicide by hanging himself Saturday night. His remains were brought to Coolsprings Monday afternoon. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Boggess, of Rochester.

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